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## DEATH CLAIMS FIVE IN GAS EXPLOSION

Ten Injured When Canadian Canners' Building on Fire Blows Up

## SMALL BOY FOUND TERRIBLY WOUNDED

Persons Standing in Pathway of Flying Debris Were Buried Alive

## FIREMEN CRAWL FROM THE PILES OF RUINS

Medicine Hat, Alta., March 20.—Five are dead and ten known to have been injured in a gas explosion here yesterday. The fire department, called to attend a fire in the Canadian Canners' building, were working at the fire when the building, full of escaping gas, was blown up. Hundreds of curious people, drawn by the fire, flocked to the scene, and they were in close proximity to the building when the calamity occurred.

The dead: Reginald Rimmer, aged 21, fireman, buried in the ruins; body recovered six hours after the accident; William Green, aged about 13; died on the way to the hospital, head crushed; Charles Bohannon, aged 24; head crushed; came here a few days ago from Boston; William Stewart, fireman, head crushed; Johnston, Briar, city employee, head crushed.

The injured: James Craig, aged 39; William Bannon, city treasurer's office, aged 45; and volunteer fireman; Joseph Revest, aged 34; Crist Opp, aged 23; condition critical; William Buchanan, captain of the fire department; William Loig, aged 32; D. Sanderson, driver for the fire department, aged 39; James Connor, aged 44; Sam Schmidela, aged 19.

The most seriously injured was the little Green boy. He was buried under piles of debris, and when dug out was found to be terribly wounded.

The three walls, two sides and the front, were blown out and the roof raised high in the air. Those in the pathway of the flying debris were buried alive. They were fleeing for safety when death overtook them. Some were just getting out of the door or were out and running away when the avalanche of bricks, timbers, and debris fell on them, and they were maimed down in their tracks.

After the explosion firemen were seen to crawl out through holes and make their way to safety. Fear of another explosion held rescuers back. It was feared that all the gas might not have spent its force and more explosions might follow.

Evidently the force of the mighty explosion was enough to extinguish the fire for it did not make its appearance again. This enabled rescuers to get to work and rescue the wounded. These were found both inside and outside of the building.

The injured were found everywhere in close proximity to the building. The majority of them were in front, but many of them were found at the side of the building.

The debris had been entirely shifted by daybreak, but no further bodies were discovered beneath the great pile of timbers, bricks and mortar. The building had been thrown open to accommodate new-comers to the city until they had an opportunity to erect tents in which to live. The gas mains had not been used for some years and had become impaled, allowing a quantity of gas to escape. This ignited from the fire and the explosion which wrecked the place resulted.

## NEW YORK BANKERS TO CONVENE AT MONTREAL

Ottawa, March 20.—For the first time in its history the Bankers' Association of New York state will hold its annual convention outside its own field. Ottawa has been chosen for the gathering on June 12 and 13. The reason given for the change of venue being that this year is the hundredth anniversary of peace between Canada and the United States. It is expected that the number of visitors who will be attracted to the capital will exceed 1,200.

## HON. JOHN SCADDAN COMING TO CANADA

London, March 20.—Hon. John Scaddan, premier of Western Australia, sails on the *Mauretania* for New York on Saturday. He will visit Winnipeg and other western cities on route to the Pacific.

Hon. W. A. Watt, premier of Victoria, Australia, who is making a two-months' stay here, also intends returning home via Canada.

## No Second Class Coaches For Colonel Sam Hughes

### Minister of Militia Has "Curiosity" Car Costing \$9,800. Apologizes That It Did Not Cost Three Times as Much

Ottawa, March 20.—On consideration of the estimates in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon an item of \$9,800 for a private car for the minister of militia and defence, Col. Sam. Hughes, was brought up. Some one immediately shouted "Carried."

"Oh, wait a minute," said Mr. Lemieux. "You are railroading a private car. I want to know if it is armor-plated. I also heard that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, Sir William Van Horne and the president of the G. T. P. are jealous of the luxuries of this 'curiosity' car."

Col. Hughes stated that the car had been bought through D. B. Hanna, of the C. N. R., for the sum mentioned. He could have bought it in open market, but at a much greater cost. The colonel then switched off from defence, and though eager to get his estimates through could not resist the temptation to attack. With characteristic vehemence he told Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux that the latter, while in South Africa, took a luxurious automobile with him to Paardeburg; also when Mr. Lemieux was campaigning in Quebec he took the automobile on steamers and travelled in great luxury.

"And," continued the minister, "I can assure the honorable gentleman without an apology that while I am minister of militia and defence I will not go about in second-class coaches while I am on the country's business. The only apology I have to offer is that the car did not cost twice or three times as much. All honorable gentlemen might then be able to complain. As it is, I have saved the country much money."

## ARSON IS NOW THE SUFFRAGETTE PLAN

Property Valued at Hundred  
Thousand Dollars De-  
stroyed by Fire

## NOTICES ARE LEFT TO INDICATE THE REASON

London, March 20.—"Arson squads" of militant suffragettes succeeded in destroying a hundred thousand dollars' worth of property early to-day. One squad burnt down the country residence of Lady Amy White at Englefield Green near the Thames. The other squad fired the buildings of the golf club at Weston-Super-Mare, a fashionable summer watering place in Somersetshire.

Lady White is the widow of Field Marshal Sir George White, the hero of Ladysmith, in the Transvaal war. The flames were discovered at 1 o'clock this morning, and at that time had such a start that the efforts of the local fire brigade were hopeless.

Traces of oil and inflammable materials were found scattered about the house, while around the grounds were papers inscribed "Stop torturing our comrades in prison," and "Votes for Women."

Two women on bicycles were seen in the neighborhood half an hour before the fire was discovered. The house was unoccupied.

Miss Olive Hocken, the militant suffragette who is charged with firing the golf club at Weston-Super-Mare, was put on trial to-day.

Miss Hocken appeared to glory in the notoriety she was achieving. She stood in the prisoner's enclosure wearing a bright sash in the suffragette colors, and smiled contentedly as the government lawyer detailed her activities in the field of arson and in the destruction of mail.

A large assortment of suffragette weapons was introduced as exhibits against Miss Hocken. Some of these were found in the militant suffragette "arsenal" in London on March 13. Others were taken from a gripsack alleged to have been dropped by Miss Hocken in her flight from the golf links. The list of exhibits include telegraph wire-cutting apparatus, bolts of acid and corrosive fluid,hammers, flints, tools for forcing windows, false identification plates for automobiles, ropes, cotton, wool, fire lighters, candles, a suit of workmen's overalls, and a set of pole climbers.

"These women have now sunk to climbing telegraph poles," said the government counsel dryly as he called attention to the leg irons.

Among Miss Hocken's correspondence the government found a letter from Mrs. Pankhurst openly inciting her followers to acts of lawlessness and outrage.

At the conclusion of the opening address the court adjourned the case for a week.

## NINETY-NINE KOREANS ARE FOUND NOT GUILTY

Tokio, March 20.—Ninety-nine of the Koreans charged with conspiring against Governor-General Count Terauchi, of Korea, in 1910, were found not guilty by the court to-day, according to a dispatch from Seoul. The judges sentenced Baron Yun Chi Ho, a former Korean cabinet minister, as well as Yan Ki Tak, a Korean editor, and three others to six years' imprisonment.

At the first trial Baron Yun Chi Ho and several of the more prominent prisoners were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, and the others to terms of five to seven years each.

McNamara cross-examined Green-



## ORIENT TRANSFORMED

### SAYS GEORGE J. BURY

Vice-President Canadian Pacific Railway Returns From Two Months' Trip

### SEES MARKET FOR CANADIAN FLOUR

Vancouver, March 20.—George J. Bury, vice-president of the C. P. R., arrived in Vancouver this morning on the conclusion of a two-months' trip to the Orient, and is staying at the Hotel Vancouver.

The magistrate assured him that if he chose a speedy trial that might be arranged for about three weeks hence, he could change his mind up to within a day or two of that time, and then decide to take trial by jury at the assizes.

Adam Johnson, counsel for Dean, was in court, but is not representing McNamara, who has so far shown no interest in employing any lawyer to look after his affairs.

E. P. Davis, K. C., appeared for the crown, and asked that McNamara remove his glasses—for it was apparently not suggested that the alleged leader of the robbers was wearing them on the morning of September 15, 1911, when he was seen cranking one car, and driving another to Vancouver. Without waiting for an order from the court, McNamara removed his glasses. In this and other incidents of his court room attitude he showed that he was anxious to be friendly and accommodating. He is a very big, slow-moving man, ponderous in his walk and manner.

The chief witness this morning was Donald D. Ferguson, who said that on the morning following the robbery he saw the Trapp automobile on Royal Avenue with McNamara standing in front trying to crank it. Three other men were also standing around the car. The witness had watched them as he passed and McNamara paused as he was cranking to glance at him. Mr. Ferguson had looked around again when some distance away and the men had disappeared, leaving the automobile standing on the street.

McNamara made no attempt to cross-examine this witness.

Stanley V. Trapp, a son of the owner of the motor car, gave formal evidence of its theft. The car would not start because a spark plug had been removed by the careful owner, and when he examined the car later he found where someone had tried to manipulate the wires leading to the self-starting apparatus in a vain effort to get it to move. McNamara again had nothing to ask.

The only witness whom the accused questioned at all was George Greenwood, of Burnaby, who gave the same testimony as he had presented at the trial of Dean. He said that on the morning of the robbery he was abroad early and had met, proceeding to Vancouver, a black automobile without number or windshield, in which the accused was driving with four other men. They were proceeding slowly, for the automobile was an old and wheezy one. Dean was also in the car and had made a menacing motion at the witness.

McNamara cross-examined Green-

## KING CONSTANTINE OF GREECE ARRIVES AT THE CAPITAL TO-DAY

Athens, March 20.—King Constantine arrived in the Greek capital to-day. He travelled by automobile from the port of Phaleron, where he landed.

King Constantine will take the oath in the chamber of deputies. The government announces that a special mausoleum is to be erected to contain the body of King George.

## ECLIPSE OF MOON

### TO-MORROW NIGHT

Spectacle Will Occur Between 2.12 and 5.42 o'clock in Early Morning

### WILL BE TOTAL TEN MINUTES AFTER THREE

Seattle, March 20.—Amateur astronomers who are enthusiastic enough to forego a few hours sleep are promised an interesting spectacle to-morrow night. A total eclipse of the moon will occur between 2.12 and 5.42 o'clock, and at 3.10 the eclipse is total. The moon will be totally eclipsed until 4.45 a.m., when it begins to leave the shadow. At 5.42 the moon will have left the shadow.

Those who do not desire to spend a night in contemplation of the moon and stars may set the handy alarm clock for 2.20 and be reasonably sure of witnessing the remarkable sight.

Professor S. L. Boothroyd, of the department of astronomy at the University of Washington, said yesterday that the body would remain in the observatory all night, and that amateur astronomers who desire to see the phenomenon through the six-inch telescope would be welcome.

The observer will catch the first sight of the eclipse shortly after 2 o'clock, when the disk of the Queen of Night will appear as if a piece had been bitten out.

Gradually the shadow will advance across the disk until totality occurs at 3.10. From that time until 4.45 the face of the moon will show as a copper-colored disk. As the shadow leaves the opposite side of the disk, one part of the moon will be bright while the other lies in deep shadow.

### NO ARRESTS MADE.

Montreal, March 20.—No arrests had yet been made in the alleged Hochelaga county bribery case in which Hon. Louis Codere is involved.

It appears that the two men for whom warrants were made out left Montreal two weeks ago. Meanwhile there is no indication of a civil action being entered against Mr. Codere.

"I'm not quite sure," said the witness in reply.

"You seem to be quite sure about other details—no number and no windshield on the car—how is it that you are not sure of this?"

The witness did not reply.

W. H. G. Phipps, accountant of the bank, testified that the amount of money

## CHARGED WITH THE MURDER OF HUSBAND

Widow of Rear-Admiral Joseph G. Eaton Arrested at Hingham To-day.

## COMMITTED TO JAIL AFTER SECRET INQUEST

Hingham, Mass., March 20.—Mrs. Eaton, widow of Rear-Admiral Joseph G. Eaton, was arrested here to-day charged with the murder of her husband. District-Attorney A. F. Barker announced the arrest in the following statement:

"Mrs. Eaton is under arrest charged with the murder of her husband, Rear-Admiral Joseph G. Eaton. Admiral Eaton did not die a natural death. This fact was communicated to me on March 19 by Professor Whitney in a preliminary verbal report, and has been known to the officers working on the case since that time. Certain features which are involved have been presented to the authorities, and will be communicated to the public. We have been unable thus far to ascertain where the poison was procured. Mrs. Eaton was arrested at her home at Assinippi this morning."

Mrs. Eaton was a witness to-day at the secret inquest into her husband's death. She drove from her home in an automobile accompanied by two police officers.

Mrs. Eaton was later arraigned before Judge Pratt, who conducted the inquest into the admiral's death. She pleaded not guilty, and was committed to jail without bail for a further hearing on March 23.

Admiral Eaton died suddenly on the morning of March 8. He was 65 years old, but, according to his friends, had been in good health. Two days later the body was buried at Dracut, his former home. There was no service at the grave, and besides the undertakers only the widow and her daughter, by another marriage, witnessed the interment. There were no military honors.

### GARMENT WORKERS RESUME.

Rochester, N. Y., March 20.—The striking garment workers returned to work to-day in all the clothing factories, following their vote last night to accept the terms presented by the state board of arbitration. The strike lasted about nine weeks.

"The commandant of the town then threatened to open fire on the crew of the Skodra, and Montenegrin gendarmes forced the Austrian steamer's engineer, at the point of a revolver, to open the steam valves of the Skodra.

As soon as the gendarmes left the ship Captain Blasich steamed away from the port at full speed.

### HON. COLIN CAMPBELL'S HEALTH CAUSES ALARM

Winnipeg, Man., March 20.—Alarming news received to-day of condition of Hon. Colin Campbell, minister of public works, who is returning to New York from visit to Jamaica, where he went three weeks ago. At the close of the session of the legislature he was found unconscious in his room. He had been suffering for years from Bright's disease, which recently became acute. Mr. Campbell left hurriedly for New York last night to meet his husband. A telegram forwarded from the steamer to-day said, "improvement continuous. Standing voyage well."

### FRIEDMANN CURE IS SHOWING RESULTS

Montreal, Que., March 20.—Miss Marie Dubois, the 20-year-old girl suffering from tuberculosis of the neck and leg glands, who was confined to her bed for four months unable to rise until treated by Dr. Friedmann last week, has so far recovered as the result of his treatment that she can walk around, eat without difficulty, and is practically cured.

All the swellings have disappeared.

Doctors who have examined the case pronounce it marvelous.

## CRISIS ARISES IN BALKAN SITUATION

Austria Issues Demands to Montenegro Through Minister at Cettinje

### ASKS EXPLANATION OF PRIEST'S DEATH

Requires Satisfaction for Violence Shown at San Giovanni di Medua

### WAR VESSELS SENT TO SUPPORT DEMANDS

Vienna, March 20.—Austria has stepped into the Balkan situation in earnest, and matters there are now at a state of crisis owing to the Austrian government having to-day made peremptory demands on Montenegro. Austria issues a mandate calling on Montenegro to comply with four demands. Officially stated the situation is as follows:

The Austrian minister at Cettinje, the Montenegrin capital,



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## PERUVIAN COMPANY WILL BE WOUND UP

Chancery Court Order Follows Investigation That Revealed Outrages

London, March 20.—The chancery court ordered yesterday the compulsory winding up of the Peruvian Amazon Company, the investigation of which by parliament, revealed sensational outrages in the treatment of natives employed in the fields. In this connection, Sir Roger Casement, British consul-general at Rio de Janeiro, gave evidence as to the outrages for which he said the Arana Brothers were responsible.

The action taken by the court to-day removes Julius Caesar Arana from the position which he held as liquidator of the company.

In an affidavit contesting the application to remove, Arana, who was in court, declared that the Indians of the Putumayo district were cannibals who resisted the advance of civilization. Neither he nor any member of the firm, he declared, had any suspicion of the real character of the agents who collected the rubber. He denied that the Indians had been valued as assets.

SUFFRAGE FOR ALASKA.

Juneau, Alaska, March 20.—The woman suffrage bill, already passed by the House, was passed by the Senate yesterday and now goes to the governor for signature. Governor Clark has said he is not opposed to woman suffrage, and that if the bill is all right when he reads it he will sign it.

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## JUDGES OF COUNTY COURTS' LOW SALARY

Minister in Sympathy but Says It Requires Consideration

## HUGHES WORE HIS UNIFORM IN PARIS

Ottawa, March 20.—When the estimates for the department of justice were taken up in the House of Commons yesterday William M. German, of Welland, and Hugh Guthrie, of Wellington, advocated increased salaries for the county court judges of Ontario, in which province Mr. Guthrie said county court judges were receiving the same salaries as were paid forty years ago, despite the increased cost of living.

Mr. Pardee asked the minister if it had been waited on by a deputation which urged an immediate increase in the pay of the county court judges. Hon. Mr. Doherty replied in the affirmative. The recommendations made had received his serious attention, but he was not able yet to say that the government had arrived at a definite conclusion. The request for an increase, he said, had his hearty sympathy, but there was some difficulty owing to the fact that there was a difference in the amount of work various judges were called upon to do.

When the militia department estimates were taken up, Mr. Lemieux asked the minister of militia if he were in favor of conscription. "No, I am not, and never have been. I am in favor of universal training, as far as possible," he said.

Mr. Lemieux then asked if it was the intention of the minister to attend the French manoeuvres every year. Colonel Hughes said that he had not considered the matter, and was not prepared to give an answer.

"If I do go this year," he added, "I would be glad to take the matter up with Mr. Lemieux."

"I understand," said Mr. Lemieux, "that when the minister arrived on the streets of Paris in his uniform last year he created a great sensation. Some thought he was Lord Kitchener, while others took him for Lord Roberts."

Mr. Lemieux then insisted on a definite answer.

"That is not much of a question," said Dr. Schaffner, of Souris.

"I see that it makes the German blood of the member for Souris boil," retorted the ex-postmaster-general, as the chair said "Carried."

Constantinople Makes Arrangement Prolonging \$15,000,000 Advances

## DIFFERENT ACCOUNTS OF TCHATALJA FIGHT

London, March 20.—A Vienna dispatch says that three battleships, an armored cruiser and two torpedo boats left Pula, the chief Austrian naval station, yesterday, steaming in a southerly direction. It is understood, the dispatch adds, that their sudden departure was due to the bombardment of the European quarter of Scutari, the searching of an Austrian steamer at San Giovanni di Medua, and the threatening of the Austrian sailors by the Montenegrins.

The official explanation of the departure of warships is that they are going to carry out manoeuvres.

The Vienna newspaper publish rumors regarding the condition of the civil population of Scutari. According to these reports, the Austrian consulate and an Italian convent were shelled, and eight guns and many other non-combatants killed.

Constantinople, March 20.—An arrangement has been signed with the Deutsche Bank by the minister of finance, prolonging for four months various advances to the amount of \$15,000,000 made by the syndicate headed by this bank. The legal rate of interest in Germany will be charged.

London, March 20.—A Constantinople dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that the fighting at Tchatalja continues. The Turks advanced about three miles north of Derkos, and in the advance occupied many strategical points.

Sofia, March 20.—Bulgarian reports of the fighting at Tchatalja give account of somewhat different from those issued at Constantinople. According to the Bulgarians, the Turks on Tuesday last essayed a forward movement, but the attempt, which caused them serious loss, was a complete failure. About five divisions of infantry, artillery and cavalry, supported by warships, were checked by Bulgarian detachments, which had been pushed forward. Towards evening the troops on the right Bulgarian flank attacked the division on the left of the Turkish flank and put them to flight. Two divisions of Turkish troops were completely wiped out.

MILLER'S FIRST MONTH IS UP GOOD FRIDAY

FORCED TO HOLD NAVY BILL OVER

Dr. Michael Clark Leaves the Mud Puddle to the Conservative Jumpers

## SUPPLY TAKEN UP AGAIN NEXT WEEK

Ottawa, March 20.—In the House of Commons yesterday, before the adjournment, Hon. Robert Rogers indicated at one stage of the proceedings that supply would be taken up again next week. This may mean that there will be no more naval talk for some time. The majority of the members left the city for the holidays.

There were a few further echoes of the disorder of Saturday night last in the House yesterday afternoon in the shape of protests against inaccurate newspaper reports. Premier Borden quoted from the Toronto Star a statement that said Speaker Sprague had apologized to Dr. Michael Clark. Premier Borden said this was an absolutely incorrect apprehension of what took place. The Speaker had declared Dr. Clark out of order, and he had appealed to the member for Red Deer to place himself in order, and the latter did so in a manly way.

Hon. Dr. Pugsley also found a number of inaccuracies in the Halifax Herald, the chief being the allegation that he had been violent toward the chairman, and also that the disorder had been planned by the Liberals. These charges he denied.

Dr. Michael Clark was also on his feet; but in a somewhat indifferent mood. He said that, as far as he was concerned, he agreed with the old proverb that the more one jumped in a puddle the wider it splashed, and he said he was quite content to let the historians of the future find out what he said from Hansard itself. He suggested that the House get down to business, and his suggestion was followed.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux asked about a newspaper report that the government would guarantee the bonds of the Quebec and Saguenay railway.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane said he knew nothing of it. The government had never been asked to guarantee these bonds.

In question hour, Hon. Mr. Graham was informed that the changes in grades, bridges and trestles on the eastern division of the N. T. R. had been recommended by the chief engineer.

## "HOUSE OF DEATH" IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Many Fatalities Occurred Ending in Three Lives Early To-day

Chicago, March 20.—The tragic existence of the "House of Death" at 2359 Wentworth avenue closed early to-day with its destruction by an incendiary fire, in which three lives were lost. Frank Hustell and his brother-in-law, Joseph Cavelier, escaped with severe burns by jumping from a second-story window, but Mrs. Hustell and her daughters, aged three and five years, were overcome by smoke as they reached a window and perished in the flames.

The house gained its name because of the fatalities which have occurred within it during the last ten years. A decade ago Jacob Werner opened a meat market in the place. Within a short time his entire family died, and Werner committed suicide. Werner's clerk, Fred Kunz, took the market, but shortly afterward his little daughter was scalded to death in a pickling vat, and a week later Kunz was found dead under mysterious circumstances. The next tenant, a man named Strauss, was murdered, and a few weeks after that an Italian crawled under the porch and committed suicide.

When the militia department

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## FOURTY THOUSAND FOR STEFANSSON VOTED

Explorer to Leave Victoria for North on Dominion Appropriation

## EXPEDITION COSTS. EIGHTY THOUSAND

Ottawa, March 20.—By working half an hour overtime the House was able to pass all the supplementary estimates for the current year, and avoid an evening session on the last work day before the Easter adjournment. When the House rose, Premier Borden promised that unless the opposition were otherwise advised, an opportunity would be given on Tuesday next, when the House reassembled to discuss the action of Speaker Sproule on Saturday evening in resuming the chair and directing the chairman of the committee of the whole to rule on the point of order under discussion.

The probabilities are that an arrangement will be reached to have an amicable discussion on the matter in a motion to adjourn the House, but if the Speaker does not agree to this, the motion will be one of censure. That the former course will be adopted is, however, almost certain.

During the consideration of the estimates to-day there were a number of interchanges in regard to different matters, including the Stefansson expedition to the Far North, for which an item of \$40,000 was voted. It was stated by Hon. George H. Perley, on behalf of the government, that the expedition was expected to cost about \$80,000. Replying to a question by Hon. Frank Oliver, the minister said that no effort would be made to reach the North Pole.

Estimates for the current year were then taken up. In the absence of Hon. J. D. Hazen, the vote of \$40,000 for the Stefansson expedition to the north was put through by Hon. Mr. Perley, minister of trade and commerce.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier wanted to know what the expedition would cost and how long a period it would cover. Mr. Perley said that Stefansson would be away from three and a half to four years, and that the total cost was estimated from \$75,000 to \$85,000. The ship on which the expedition would go north would return to the Pacific coast within one or two years, and would go back and bring the expedition home. He said further appropriations would be asked for the current year, because it had been necessary to purchase at once a whaling vessel. The money had been taken from the fisheries protective service, and would now be replaced.

"That is a very dangerous practice. You objected to us doing it," said Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He added, however, that he would not object if the government would promise not to do it again.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux wanted to know if the ship would be manned by Canadians.

Mr. Perley said that the choice of men had been left with the explorer, with the understanding that, as far as possible, Canadians would be chosen. Mr. Lemieux, while not opposed to the principle of the vote, objected because Captain Berney had been overlooked. He was a good Canadian and a good sailor, and it was strange that this loyalist of the government had been overlooked.

Mr. Perley said that Mr. Stefansson was born in November, 1879, on a homestead in Manitoba.

"Did he not serve in the American navy?" asked Sir Wilfrid.

"I do not know," said Mr. Perley, "but according to the information before us he was not naturalized in the United States."

He went on to say that arrangements had at first been made whereby Mr. Stefansson had undertaken this expedition under a couple of societies, and the government had decided that it would be better to let him go north under the Dominion government auspices.

Sir Wilfrid said that the late government had inaugurated a continuous system of patrol in northern waters. This was desirable because of the presence there of American whalers. The present government was apparently arranging only for a temporary service. Mr. Perley remarked that, as the expedition would be gone over three years, it would be a good beginning.

Replying to a question by Hon. Frank Oliver, the minister stated that it was not the intention of Mr. Stefansson to push as far north as the pole. Headquarters would be on Herschel Island, and the expeditions would extend as far north as possible.

## ARCHITECT TO BE DEPUTY MINISTER

Senator Ross and J. McPherson Appointed to Saskatchewan Water Commission

Regina, Sask., March 20.—Ernest Brown, architect of this city, has been appointed deputy minister of public works succeeding J. F. Robinson, who resigned some time ago. Up to the present this post has been filled by H. S. Carpenter, who is now appointed to the superintendence of the highways.

Senator Ross and J. McPherson have been appointed members of the Saskatchewan water commission, according to an official announcement made here this morning. They have in hand the investigating of the practicability of the diversion of water in the South Saskatchewan river for domestic and industrial purposes.

## BORDEN TRYING TO GAG FREE SPEECH

Statement Issued Last Night on Government Intentions Next Week

## THREATEN TO HAVE THE RULES AMENDED

Ottawa, March 20.—The following authoritative statement of the government's position was given out last night:

"In the speech from the throne, on November 21 last, it was announced that a bill for aiding and strengthening the effective naval forces of the Empire would be introduced. Accordingly the naval aid bill was introduced on December 5 last, immediately after the conclusion of the debate on the speech from the throne. The necessary resolution to authorize the expenditure was passed through Commons and the motion to concur in the Commons report came up on December 12.

"On the last-mentioned day the leader of the opposition moved an amendment that the resolution be sent to committee, with instructions to strike out all except this clause and substitute other clauses in lieu of the remaining clauses. The first clause of the resolution was therefore common to the policy proposed by the government and to that proposed by the opposition. That clause is as follows: 'From and out of the consolidated revenue fund of Canada there may be taken and applied a sum not exceeding \$35,000,000 for the purpose of immediately including the naval forces of the Empire.'

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier's amendment was voted down on February 13, after a long debate of nearly four weeks. The second reading was passed on February 27, after a further protracted debate of nearly two weeks, and the House went into committee on the bill on February 25. After a lengthy discussion, the first clause, which merely related to its title, was adopted.

"Since Monday, March 3, the committee has continually engaged in discussion of the second clause, which is in the same terms as the first clause of the resolution, and which forms part of the avowed policy of the opposition, as well as that of the government. This clause has not yet been passed, although from March 3 to midnight on March 15 there had been 223 hours of actual discussion on it, nine-tenths of which have been occupied by the opposition. The reverse attitude of the opposition is demonstrated by the fact that for two solid weeks they have been obstructing a clause for which they have twice voted.

"Up to the present time the bill has occupied all of the available time of parliament for more than three months. The debate thereon has filled four thousand columns of Hansard, and if the proceedings in parliament had been reported with the usual fullness the debate would have extended to more than five thousand columns.

"It has been claimed that on Monday night, March 3, when the prime minister declined to adjourn unless some progress was made, clause two had been under discussion for only three hours. This is a complete misstatement. The particular clause embodied the principle of the bill and nothing more. It had been under discussion ever since December 12 last, and its adoption had been sanctioned and decided by the vote upon the second reading of the bill.

"Further lengthy discussion of the clause was manifestly obstructive, as the opposition tactics during the past two weeks have established beyond any possible question.

"There can be no doubt that the opposition had been engaged in a deliberate and determined attempt to obstruct the bill, and to prevent the passage of its provisions for effective aid to the common defence of the Empire. The attempt is evident not only by the length of the discussion, but by the defiant and insulting avowals of the opposition members that obstruction would be persisted in, that the majority of the House were helpless, and that the minority were determined to prevent parliament from exercising its usual formal functions.

"The present rules of the House being antiquated and out of date, readily lend themselves to the tactics which have been adopted by the opposition during the past two weeks.

"Under these conditions, if the opposition should persist in its determination to prevent the House from reaching a vote on this bill, it will be the clear course of the government to press for amendments to the rules, which, while securing reasonable and necessary freedom of debate, will prevent persistent obstruction, and will permit the House to proceed with the business of the country.

"Notice of such amendments permitting the debate to be brought to a conclusion after full and reasonable discussion will be placed on the order paper next week. It is not the desire or intention of the government to press these amendments through the House at present if the opposition will give any assurance or evidence of their willingness to permit the vote upon the bill to be taken in a reasonable time. If, however, they persist in defiant obstruction, the rules must be so amended that the proceedings of the House will not be reduced to a farce, and that the work of parliament and the business of the country can be carried on and brought to a conclusion within a reasonable time and under normal conditions."

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### CONSULT THE PEOPLE.

The government proposes to amend  
the rule of the House at Ottawa to pro-  
vide for a system of closure. The pur-  
pose, of course, is to limit the discus-  
sion on the navy bill and enable it to  
be forced upon the statute books. Two  
years ago when some members of the  
Liberal party advocated the adoption  
of closure in order to pass the recipro-  
city agreement, after a certain amount  
of discussion, the Conservative oppo-  
sition became violently enraged and  
the majority of their newspaper organs  
preached long sermons on free speech  
and the tyrannical methods of Sir Wil-  
frid Laurier. All the time they were  
simply paving the air, because Sir Wil-  
frid Laurier has always opposed  
the suppression of discussion in the  
Commons, and with a large majority  
of his followers resolutely stood be-  
tween the rules of the House as they  
have been for forty years and the agi-  
tation for their amendment. Instead of  
throttling the House, he permitted  
himself to be forced to the country.

Mr. Borden has frequently stated  
that if the bill was not passed, he  
would dissolve parliament and appeal  
to the electors. His followers have con-  
stantly proclaimed their belief that  
they have the people behind him. They  
are advocating a measure which in its  
constitutional and national aspects in-  
volves changes of the most far-reaching  
importance. It is a radical departure  
from the pathway followed by  
both parties since confederation; it is  
the very negation of the policy ex-  
emplified in the Militia Act of Sir  
John A. Macdonald and Sir George  
Cartier; it is a proposal against which  
every great Canadian statesman has  
uttered the most solemn warning. Sir  
Charles Tupper being especially vigor-  
ous in his opposition to it. Under those  
circumstances it is the duty of Mr.  
Borden to do what Sir Wilfrid Laurier  
did with regard to the reciprocity leg-  
islation—consult the people.

What is the excuse given for the  
amendment of the rules? It is to rush  
the bill through at all costs. And yet  
a general election would much more  
easily serve the purpose than an at-  
tempt to restrict discussion on the  
bill. An election could be held and the  
whole issue decided in six weeks. It  
will take all summer to pass a closure  
measure if it ever passes. Whatever  
attitude the opposition might adopt if,  
say, at the beginning of next session  
the Prime Minister suggested a con-  
ference with Sir Wilfrid Laurier re-  
lative to amending the rules of the  
House, it may be taken for granted  
that in the middle of the present dis-  
cussion they will not permit any  
changes. Let Mr. Borden do what he  
has so often urged the government to  
do when he was leader of the opposition—  
get his mandate from the people.

### AN OMINOUS SIGN.

The Department of Militia and De-  
fence expended \$9,000 in connection  
with the private car used by the min-  
ister and staff last year. During the  
consideration of the item Hon. Ro-  
dolphe Lemieux asked if the car was  
armor-clad. Of course it is not, but,  
after all, why should it not be dis-  
tinctive in some way of the service  
presided over by so enthusiastic a war-  
rior as Colonel Sam Hughes? Why  
should it not be equipped with light  
quick-firing guns, signalling apparatus  
and other implements of glorious war?  
There should be a sentry box on each  
vestibule and a soldier constantly on  
guard. Mars should not be subjected  
to the encravating luxuries of the ordi-  
nary private car. One scarcely expects  
to see rolling stock used by the offi-  
cials of our war department outfitted  
in the same style as that of a railroad  
president or the minister of agricultur-  
ture.

We fear that piping peace has work-  
ed havoc among the Spartan virtues of

the Minister of Militia. It is impossible  
to believe that the man who, with  
the gallant Turpin and seven other  
heroes, after incredible hardships, sur-  
rounded two hundred Boers in South  
Africa and nearly captured them, is the  
same Colonel Hughes who lounged luxuriously in an ornate private car  
last year to the extent of \$9,000. It is  
true his annual budget for Canadian  
military purposes is \$10,000,000, instead  
of \$6,000,000 as required by Sir Frederick  
Borden; that he is investigating the  
merits of aerial ships; that he annually  
attends the manoeuvres in France and  
Germany; that he ordered the big 9.2-  
inch guns to be erected on Signal Hill  
where no experienced artillery man  
would have put them, but these are  
merely the trappings and suits of the  
military spirit. They do not abate the  
apprehension in our mind that the  
colonel has become an arm-chair veter-  
an. It was so with Hannibal. After  
his victorious campaigns in Italy he  
and his soldiers surrendered themselves  
to the sybaritic relaxations of Capua for  
a whole winter. They became soft and  
enervated and from that time their  
moral and courage diminished and a  
great career drew to a melancholy  
close.

We do not criticize the \$9,000 on the  
ground of extravagance, although in  
opposition the colonel's colleagues  
paved the air in their denunciation of  
the luxurious habits of the Liberal  
ministers. We rather regret the ap-  
pearance of the item in the estimates  
as symptomatic of the transformation  
of the minister from the field warrior  
to the drawing-room strategist. We doubt  
not that he himself is sensible of the  
change and has tried to ward it off.  
Several times he has shouted defiance  
at Germany—twice at banquets on this  
coast—and a year or so ago he actually  
went to Germany with a chip on his  
shoulder and brought the Kaiser al-  
most to the verge of nervous prostra-  
tion. But the Potsdam strategists  
know that the longer peace is main-  
tained the less formidable Colonel Sam  
will become, so they will wait until his  
estimate for the private car rises, say,  
\$15,000, and then they will start  
something. We confess we would feel  
much easier if we saw the minister  
crossing the continent on a railway  
velocipede. Then we would know that  
he had "come back."

### A SOCIALIST PREMIER.

The resignation of the Briand ministry  
as the result of a vote of censure em-  
phasizes the hair-trigger character of  
French politics. The atmosphere of  
the French chamber is always electric  
and ministries are constantly in more  
or less danger of an adverse vote.

Aristide Briand, the head of the min-  
istry which has just resigned, is a  
socialist of modern views. He began  
political life as a champion of the most  
advanced movements, writing articles  
for anarchist journals. As he grew  
older he became more moderate and  
broke with Jaurès, who preserves his  
militant ideas. Briand was prominent  
in the organization of labor unions, for  
which he fought sturdy for years.

Upon being elected to the chamber of  
deputies, he occupied himself with the  
great question of the separation of  
church and state and had much to do  
with the preparation of the law on  
this subject. He became a minister  
first in 1906, but his accession to the  
cabinet resulted in his exclusion from  
the Union Socialist party. Briand is  
still a consistent champion of social-  
istic principles, but, as opposed to  
Jaurès, the recognized leader, he be-  
lieves that socialists should co-operate  
with the radicals in matters of reform.  
His experience in affairs of state has  
taught him that social reform is an  
evolutionary process and that revolution-  
ary measures simply produce chaos.  
Nobody could have had more extreme  
opinions than Briand when he began  
public life, and there is not a violent  
socialist in France whose views would  
not be mellowed by office. Briand  
could accomplish more practical good  
along the line of social progress in one  
year than Jaurès with his banners and  
fiery oratory in ten.

But aside from ministries and the  
attitude of the French chamber, a new  
force is apparent in the political life of  
the republic. This is the strong  
position taken by President Poincaré.  
Former presidents have become more  
figureheads, who passed their time  
comfortably in the Elysée Palace without  
being disturbed by the tumults that  
frequently punctuate French political  
life. For their seven years they drew  
\$240,000 annually and upon the  
expiration of their terms retired to  
peaceful seclusion, where, like the  
past vice-presidents of the United  
States, they were gradually forgotten.

When Sir Charles Tupper, aged  
ninety-two, reaches England he should  
drop in at Oxford and shake hands  
with that other distinguished Cana-  
dian, Sir William Osler, who is said to  
have propounded a rather interesting  
theory as to the uselessness or usefulness  
of men after forty.

We understand that the council is  
not likely to accept the resignation of  
Mr. Robertson, the city solicitor, and  
we are glad to hear it. He is too good  
a man to lose and possesses the confi-  
dence of the board and the citizens  
alike.

As to-morrow will be observed as a  
public holiday throughout Canada, the  
Times will not be issued in the even-  
ing.

Winter lingered in the lap of  
spring. The Colonist almost took the  
words "out of our columns."

so disturbing a circumstance as it has  
been in the past.

### AN INSPIRING SIGHT.

Writing in the Saturday Evening  
Post, Samuel G. Blythe picturesquely  
describes the Lord Mayor's recent  
banquet in London, to which he was  
invited. Dealing with the toast to the  
King, he says:

"The King! The King!" shouted  
these men—these great soldiers who  
had fought for the King in Africa and  
Egypt and in India; these great  
judges who preside over the courts; these  
members of his ministry; these  
ambassadors to his country; these  
peers of the realm; these lords of the  
church; these men who finance the  
government and who conduct its  
municipalities; these heads of the  
learned societies—all these Englishmen  
charged their glasses and shouted  
"The King! The King!" and drank to  
him—to the shy little man up at Buck-  
ingham Palace, whose implied author-  
ity they reverence and for which they  
fight and toil, but whose real author-  
ity is less than that of scores of the  
men—yes, hundreds of them—who so  
fervently acclaimed him their sovereign.  
It was an inspiring sight! They  
stood there and sang God Save the  
King! as the big band in the gallery  
played it—these Englishmen who hold  
their monarchical forms so sacred!"

Mr. Blythe thus describes Mr. As-  
quith's speech—a speech which, by the  
way, contained an announcement of  
great importance:

The toast of His Majesty's Minis-  
ters was next. The toasting master made  
his pronouncements, the trumpets  
flourished, and the Lord Mayor called on  
Premier Asquith; but the toasting master  
prayed silence for him and the Premier  
came up. He is an extraordinarily  
self-possessed man, as Asquith—ap-  
parently well convinced of what his  
position is and not afraid to state it.  
Usually at the Lord Mayor's banquet  
members of the ministry announce  
governmental policies. This was to be a  
momentous speech, for England is  
vitally interested in the war in the  
Balkans and its results and, as one of  
the great powers, is also vastly con-  
cerned about territorial and other  
questions. Here was the Premier of  
Great Britain, the man who was at  
that time in daily consultation with  
the representatives of the other great  
powers; and everybody was sure he  
would make a pronouncement concerning  
the war.

"They applauded him vigorously, and  
he stood looking steadily ahead as if  
he phrased into the matter at hand. He  
referred to the war, sketched its re-  
sults thus far, said the great powers  
were working in unison and harmony;  
and then he made his pronouncement:

"Upon one thing I believe the opinion  
of Europe to be unanimous—that the  
victors are not to be robbed of the  
fruits that have cost them so dear!"

"All jumped up and cheered that,  
rattled on their plates with forks, and  
waved napkins at him; while the Pre-  
mier stood impassive, gazing straight  
ahead. It was what they wanted—and  
then he made his pronouncement:

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of Europe to be unanimous—that the  
victors are not to be robbed of the  
fruits that have cost them so dear!"

Premier Borden appears to be almost  
as valiant a man as that old bluffer,  
Sir J. Falstaff. A few months ago he  
was fierce in his determination "to go  
to the country" if his navy bill was  
not passed, and that speedily. The  
fate of the Empire depended upon  
hasty action by Canada. Mr. Borden  
said, "Now he threatens closure after  
the Easter parliamentary recess. But the  
Liberals will come back refreshed,  
renewed and reinvigorated after the  
holidays.

Will this be Sir Richard's last session?  
Will he go to England and take a con-  
stituency as other ambitious Canadians  
have done? Will Hon. W. J. Bowser  
be the next premier of British Columbia?  
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The Event which is attracting the marked interest of picture lovers is the exhibition of paintings by Mrs. Mary Riter Hamilton at the Empress hotel. Mrs. Hamilton brought over, one hundred pictures to Canada last fall and during the winter she held exhibitions in Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal. In each of these cities she won pronounced success, the critics without exception bestowing the warmest praise upon her achievements and among the many distinguished patrons of art who purchased her paintings was Her Royal Highness, the Duchess of Connaught. The exceptional opportunity for seeing these beautiful pictures should be taken advantage of before the exhibition closes.

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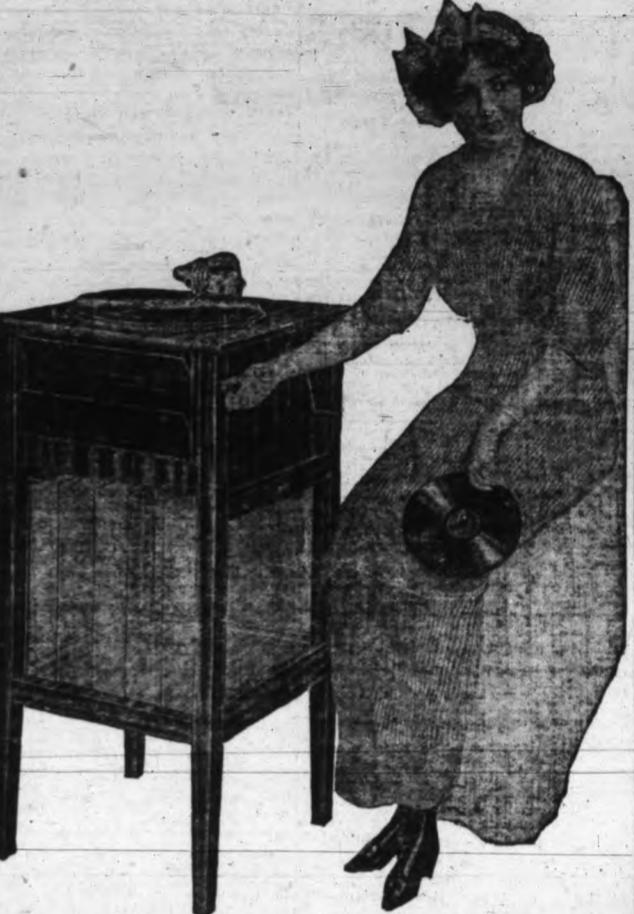
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**WHERE TO REGISTER.**

The Times is requested by the Burnside Liberal Association to state that names may be registered for the voters' list at the Gorge Reality Co., corner of Tillicum road and Gorge road, Tillicum P. O., Maywood P. O., Mr. Graham, Tillicum road, and between the hours of 5 and 7 at the house of J. P. Hancock, corner of Eldon place and Burnside road, and C. Pointer, Ardersee road.

**Service of Praise.**—On Sunday evening a service of praise will be held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, when the choir, under the direction of Jess Longfield, will give a number of appropriate Easter selections.

**Open Session.**—An open session of the Metropolitan Methodist Sunday school will be held next Sunday in the church auditorium, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. Scott, will deliver an Easter address to the school.

**Rural-Deacon Conference.**—The Rural-Deacon Conference of Victoria will take place in St. Saviour's Church schoolroom, Victoria West, on Tuesday next at 7:30 p.m. The chair will be taken by the rural dean, the Rev. W. Baugh-Alten.

**Municipal Chapter.**—There will be a meeting of the Municipal Chapter of the Daughters of Empire on Tuesday afternoon, March 25, at the Alexandra Club, for the purpose of further considering the plans in connection with the kermess which is to be held in May.

**Box and Cox Tableaux.**—At Colwood Hall on Easter Monday an entertainment comprising the amusing character sketch, "Box and Cox," tableaux, songs, etc., will be given, the performance commencing at 8 p.m. At the close of this there will be a dance, and refreshments will be served, and it is hoped that a large attendance will be present to participate in what is guaranteed to be a pleasant evening's entertainment.

**Olivet to Calvary.**—The sacred cantata, "Olivet to Calvary," by J. H. Maunder, will be rendered by the choir of the First Congregational church at 8 p.m. on Friday under the leadership of T. H. Brown, choirmaster of the church. The soloists will be Mrs. W. Partrige, Mrs. A. Woods, Miss McIntosh, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Miss M. Davis, N. Collins, E. Locke and D. C. Hughes and the work has been most carefully prepared in order to ensure an artistic performance. W. H. Davis will preside at the organ.

**Scandinavian Brotherhood.**—A social and dance of Viking Lodge, Scandinavian Brotherhood of America, will take place in the lodge quarters at 303 Wilson street, on Saturday evening next, commencing at 8 o'clock. An excellent programme has been prepared, and a good time is assured all who attend.

**School Gardens.**—The women's institutes of the province have been informed by the deputy minister of agriculture that the department will be willing to supply packets of flower and vegetable seeds for the purpose of making school gardens in districts where the school authorities will cooperate and the members of the local women's institute will supervise the planting and care.

**Forty-four Confirmed.**—Last evening forty-four candidates were confirmed by the bishop of Columbia at Christ Church cathedral, eleven of the candidates being men, four boys, and twenty-nine girls and women. The bishop was assisted by his chaplain, the Rev. and Hon. T. R. Henrige, while other clergy present included the Very Rev. the Dean of Columbia, the Rev. W. Barton, the Rev. C. R. Little, the Rev. F. H. Fatt and the Rev. W. Dawe, in addition to whom many other worshippers were present.

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# Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

## GREAT HOLT LINER STEAMS INTO PORT

Ixion Completes Maiden Trip  
From Liverpool; Is a  
Notable Ship

## IS SPLENDIDLY FITTED FOR FREIGHT BUSINESS

Blue Funnel Steamship Has  
Saloon Accommodation for  
Passengers; 518 Feet Long

Although of gigantic proportions the new Blue Funnel liner Ixion, Captain Reichenauer, which came into port this afternoon at 3 o'clock on her maiden trip from Liverpool, looks trimmer and neater in the water than one would expect vessel of her class to appear. Her knife-like bow, her mammoth blue funnel, which rises high above her twin masts amidships, the well-arranged deck plan, and the manner in which her cabin and bridge are built, makes the newest of the Blue Funnel fleet a conspicuous craft.

Quite a number of shipping men inspected the Ixion after she had been berthed at the outer docks. Capt. Chas. Harris piloted the new Leviathan up from William Head. She handled nicely and a fine landing was made. Everyone who boarded the Ixion at this port expressed himself in the following manner: "She's a fine ship all right." As a vessel of her class it is doubtful if there is a better steamship afloat.

Some of Her Measurements. The Ixion is the largest vessel to come to this port, and with the exception of the Great Northern steamship Minnesota is the biggest engaging in the North Pacific trades. The new liner is 518 feet long, 62 feet beam and 41.6 feet deep. She has a deadweight capacity of 13,410 tons, and a displacement of 15,000 tons. The Ixion is 1,000 tons larger than the Taithybus, which previous to the arrival of the new liner to-day was the flagship of the fleet.

Not only will the Ixion carry a great amount of freight, but she has been fitted to carry twelve saloon passengers, and she has accommodation for 1,000 Chinese steerage and 1,000 pilgrims, who are carried between Singapore and Asia Minor. The first-class staterooms are finely arranged and fitted, and she makes the third vessel of the Blue Funnel fleet to have this accommodation. It is expected that many people will make the long and interesting trip from this coast to Liverpool via the Suez canal, on these vessels.

Lucky Proteus' Speed.

While the Ixion can steam 14 knots, which is exceptional time for a freight vessel, she has not the speed to snatch the blue ribbon for the trans-Pacific passage from the Proteus. It was expected that the Ixion would have made a fast run from Yokohama on her maiden voyage, but the weather conditions were against her showing any great burst of speed. The new Blue Funnel liner will be in 13 days crossing the Pacific. The Ixion is five days late arriving in port. The delay was caused at Oriental ports, where she was prevented from handling her in an expedition manner.

The Ixion has 15,000 tons of cargo stowed in her holds, and 3,000 tons of it will be put off on the coast. The local stevedores will have an opportunity of trying out the steamship's winches at the beginning of next week. The Ixion has a shipment of silk for New York, and after the Chinese passengers for this port had disembarked this afternoon she proceeded to Tacoma, from which port the silk will be rushed east.

Included in the cargo to be put off at this port by the Ixion are heavy shipments of machinery, nails, paints, glass and whiskey, brought from the Old Country; rice, sugar, soy, sake, furniture and miso from Oriental ports.

### TIDE TABLE.

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The time used in Pacific Standard time is 8 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water.

## ROMA LEAVES DOCK RUPERT FLOATING IN

New-Wheel Has Been Fitted to  
Oil-Tanker; Leaving Esquimalt  
at End of Week

After being in drydock at Esquimalt for nearly a week having a new propeller fitted and her hull scraped and painted, the big oil-tanker Roma was floated out this morning and proceeded across the harbor to the B. C. Marine Railway yards, where she will remain for several days before being ready to return to Port San Luis for another cargo of oil.

The accident to the Roma last week is proving costly to the Standard Oil Company, her owners. The wheel of the Roma was stripped while she was entering the harbor from the south with oil for the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway. Before the engines were stopped after the blades had been broken off, the machinery was badly strained through racing. The interior work is now being completed at Bellingham, and it is expected that the Roma will be able to steam to California ports by the end of the week.

Prince Rupert Goes in Dock. The drydock at Esquimalt has been kept busy for some time past, and the indications are that the high gates there will swing quite often within the next few weeks. To-morrow morning the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. D. McKenzie, will shift from the inner docks to Esquimalt to have her hull scraped and painted. The Prince Rupert will enter service on Wednesday of next week and the work of over-

## MACPHERSON MAY BE WRECK COMMISSIONER

Rumored That Captain of  
Tender Estevan Will Receive  
Appointment

There is a persistent rumor afloat on the waterfront to the effect that Capt. Macpherson, master of the steamer Quadra, of the marine and fisheries department, is to receive the appointment of wreck commissioner for British Columbia. Several well-known local mariners sent their applications for the position to Ottawa some time ago, but it is practically certain that Capt. Macpherson will receive the appointment.

Capt. Macpherson, it is pointed out in support of the rumor, is highly qualified to fill the important position of wreck commissioner. Not only has he had extensive experience on this coast, but he is also a deep-sea mariner of repute, having commanded the large liners of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, between England and South America, some years ago. Capt. Macpherson brought the powerful tug William Jolliffe from the old country to Esquimalt via the Straits of Magellan about six years ago, and since that time has been a resident of Victoria. He was in the C. P. R. service for some time, and about 18 months ago was appointed to the Quadra.

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## HEADLIGHTS

The Pacific Coast steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Harris, will arrive in port to-night from San Francisco with a large list of passengers and 287 tons of freight for Victoria.

Late to-night the C. P. R. steamer Tees, Capt. Gillam, is leaving port for Holberg and other west coast ports. A number of passengers are leaving on her and she is also taking much freight.

The British ship Neotsfield, which has been detained in quarantine at Astoria for several days, was released on Friday last and the captain is now looking for sailors to complete his crew.

The British ship Cambrian Princess is ready for sea at Astoria with a cargo of \$3,320 cents wheat on board, bound for Dublin. The cargo is valued at \$124,579 and is being sent out by M. H. Houser.

The mammoth Aquitania, building for the Cunard Line on



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It is quite a revival of the old times to see these stately clocks once more occupying a prominent position in so many homes. Call in and see them. GOLDEN OAK CASE, with brass figures on the plain wood face and a leaded light front. A charming design. Price, only \$55.00



EARLY ENGLISH OAK, with leaded light front, and brass figures on the wood face. A rich design and reliable movements. Price is \$100. TWO FINE MODELS with mahogany cases come with handsome metal dials and richly designed cases. One is marked at \$100, and the other at \$75.00

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There are so many lines that description is impossible, and even the window display does not do justice to the large assortment that is ready for inspection.

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**HERE'S ONE GOOD SET**

BUFFET—The top measures 23x56 in., has a neat back fitted with shelves and carries a mirror 10x48 in. The body of the buffet has three cupboards, two of them fancy glass doors and the centre one has two plain doors. One large drawer and one cutlery drawer completes the piece. Price \$85.00

THE CHINA CABINET is beautifully designed. The top measures 18x45 in., and the sides and front are glass. A neat mirror over the top shelf. Price \$30.00

DINING TABLE with a round top, and has a gracefully shaped pedestal support. The top is 48 in. in diameter and extends to 8 ft. Price \$50.00

AN EIGHT-PIECE SUITE OF CHAIRS consisting of two arm chairs and six side chairs, is made in a very handsome pattern and has Spanish leather seats. Price \$74.00

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Unusually strong, and exceptionally well finished are two of the leading features of this line of furniture. They are intended to take a permanent place in your home and their appearance is quite a recommendation.

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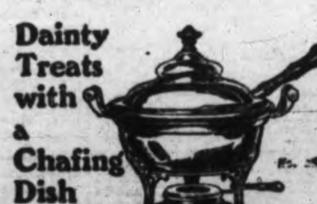
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PILLOW CASES, all ready for use, are to be had in all sizes and with either the plain or hemstitched finish. Prices, per dozen, according to quality, from \$12 down to as low as \$2.00

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# SPORTING NEWS

## CANNOT STOP STEVESTON BOUT

Arrangements Completed and Authorities Will Not Interfere;  
Special Boat to Carry Victoria Rooters

Arrangements have been almost completed for the bout at Steveston on March 29 between Charlie Reilly, of Frisco, and Joe Bayley, for the Canadian lightweight championship. W. W. Haddock, of Vancouver, together with A. Stirling, who is managing Reilly, was in Victoria yesterday afternoon, winding up the preliminary details for the bout. Cyclone Scott and Billy Weeks will go on in the semifinal. The Bayley-Reilly bout is scheduled to go fifteen rounds.

Charter Special Boat.

Manager Condon announces that a special boat will be chartered to take the Victoria fans directly to the bout, while special trains will carry the Van-

WHITE SOX WON.

Sacramento, Cal., March 20.—Chicago White Sox defeated Sacramento yesterday by a score of 6 to 3.

## An Unloading of Easter Apparel Will Take Place Here SATURDAY



At least it will not be the fault of the quality of the Hats, Shirts and ties, neither for the want of style or moderate prices.

### SNAPPY HATS FOR YOUNG MEN

Stetson, the New York Imperial, Ven Gal, and the Mallory are the brands that we recommend. The names are a sufficient guarantee for quality, but we must say that a better range of smart colorings and shapes has not yet been seen in town.

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### NEW EASTERN NECK-WEAR

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### HOLEPROOF HOSE IS THE BEST LINE WE KNOW OF

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W. E. STAPLES  
President of the Arcade Club, which will hold its opening smoker next Tuesday evening.

## MAY ABANDON CUP SERIES

Secretary Scott has written the Vancouver Rugby Union, absolutely refusing to play at New Westminster for the McKechnie Cup. Victoria must have an answer by Thursday or the Capital City fifteen will declare the game off. The Victoria club asks that the game be played in Nanaimo, which still gives Vancouver slightly the better of it, for transportation from the Mainland to the Coal City is not as expensive as from Victoria. If the Mainlanders don't like that the Victorians would play the game here and split the gate. The trophy will revert to the trustees should Vancouver refuse to accept the above conditions.

Conditions Favor Vase.

Admirers of the Renton lad declare that he has the advantage, as he is accustomed to the short route and will be able to get into effective action more quickly than the Canadian champion, no matter how the dopesters may size up the respective chances of the two gladiators. It looks like a clinch that the bout will be about the fastest give-and-take affair that has been presented in Seattle during the entire season.

Six other bouts round out the card, including such star events as Romeo Hagen vs. Cyclone Scott, of Victoria; and Billy Weeks, of San Francisco, vs. Pat Dorian.

### SATURDAY'S SOCCER CARD.

There is only one senior soccer game for Saturday here, that being a postponed game between the Victoria West champions and Garrison, which will be played at Beacon Hill. D. Dougan will referee. The Second Division games a

The second division games are: Y. M. C. A. vs. Victoria Wests, Beacon Hill. Referee, J. R. Allen. Wards vs. Empress, North Ward Park. Referee, J. Ferris.

### BAYS EXPECT A CLEAN SWEEP

Davies Has Strong Representation for B. C. Boxing Championships at Victoria Theatre on Friday Next

That Billy Davies, the J. B. A. boxing instructor, is out after all the provincial boxing titles is evident from the string of boys that he now has under his care at the James Bay club house. Davies has ten high-class padded mitt artists working out every day, and he looks for a clean sweep against the Terminal City boxers when they line up for the title meet at the Victoria theatre on Thursday next. The card promises to be the best that has ever been staged in the capital, and will even exceed the last programme, when the Portland boxers appeared here. Vancouver, New Westminster and other boxing centres will send along the pick of their stars, and with the provincial titles at stake, there is no reason why the biggest card of the year should not be witnessed.

Al Davies, 106 lbs, 115 lbs; Scott Cropper, 125 lbs; Charlie Matheral, 125 lbs; H. Buckman, 125 lbs; Scotty McKay, 135 lbs, 145 lbs; Donald McKay, 135 lbs; Bob Myers, 145 lbs; Charlie Trews, 158 lbs; H. Blanck, heavy; Earl McKenzie, heavy; Jack Ross, heavy.

### REMARKED ON THE SIDE

First Ball Game of the Season To-morrow.

Mike Lynch and his band of hopefuls will trot out to-morrow afternoon show off their paces in the opening of the local ball season. True, the game is but a practice affair and Lynch will use every man that he has on his staff, but that the fans will be given a glimpse of the Bees in action, and that is what they have been waiting for these many months. Lynch is confident that he can get away with the preliminary games and a big crowd will undoubtedly be on hand to witness the encounter.

Victoria Has Chance for a Clean-up.

When the British Columbia boxing championships are held at the Victoria theatre next Thursday night, there is a strong probability of every title coming to the Capital City squad. Billy Davies has the strongest team that ever represented the J. B. A. A., and it will keep Chet McIntyre scratching his hardest to keep up with the locals. Al Davies and Donald McKay are sure winners, while Earl McKenzie and Gunner Ross will provide a lot of good, hard fighting. It is possible that Seattle boxers may take part, though not in the title events.

Big Four in Soccer.

It is announced that in all probability the organization of the new Canadian Pro Soccer League will take place on Saturday. It is the intention to call the new league the Inter-Provincial Professional Soccer League of Canada, and to ask for affiliation with the Dominion Football Association.

## KENNEL CLUB LOOKS FOR A RECORD ENTRY

Over three hundred entries are looked for at the annual bench show of the Victoria City Kennel Club, which will be held on April 16, 17 and 18. This will give Victoria a five-point kennel show, the biggest of its kind that has ever been held in the Capital.

The number of points at any show west of Port Arthur, as allotted by the Canadian Kennel Club, are as follows: Not less than 300 dogs, five points. Not less than 250 dogs, four points. Not less than 200 dogs, three points. Not less than 150 dogs, two points.

The scale for shows in Eastern Canada calls for 650 dogs for five points, 500 for four points and 400 for three points.

The coming show is the twelfth annual show of the local club. Specials already donated are:

Victoria City Kennel Club Cup, for best kennel of terriers, four or more, owned by the exhibitor two months prior to date of show.

C. K. C. medals, two silver medals, four bronze medals, for the six best dogs in show. Owners must be members of C. K. C.

G. H. Jett, cup for best wire or smooth haired fox-terrier puppy bred in British Columbia.

R. Large, trophy for best kennel of three or more fox terriers.

Con Jones (Vancouver), cup for best brace of sporting dogs owned by one exhibitor two months prior to date of show.

P. Burns & Co., Ltd., club cup for best kennel of sporting dogs, four or more, owned by one exhibitor two months prior to date of show.

Other specials will be announced through the press.

### MORE ENTRIES FOR GYMKHANA

### SPLENDID CARD

Every day the entry list for Monday's gymkhana at the Willows track under the auspices of the Victoria Polo Club is growing larger. An additional list has been received from Duncan and well over two hundred will be lined up before the programme starts. Only gentleman riders will be allowed to compete, and the racing will be absolutely on the merits of the animals entered. Amongst the Duncan entries received are those of several ponies who have grand records in speed and hurdling. The winners of the first, second and third ribbons at both the Vancouver and Victoria horse shows have been entered, and the greatest collection of ponies ever shown will be entered for the different events.

Special arrangements have been made to have every moment filled, and the will be no tiring waits, many novelties being billed. A committee of ladies will dispense tea refreshments, and fine weather is all that is needed to ensure a large crowd.

### VICTORIA TEAM PLAYS VANCOUVER ON THE HOLIDAY

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Victoria-Robertson, Victoria West, goal; Sheriff, Thistle, back; Taylor, Wards, back; Proctor, J. B. A., half; Wyllie, Garrison, half; Niven, Thistle, half; Caskie, Thistle, right; Kerley, S. O. E., right; McDonald, Wards, forwards Young, Thistle, left; Douglas, S. O. E., left.

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# SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

## EASTERN CHAMPIONS WILL REACH VICTORIA ON SATURDAY

Tickets Go on Sale Saturday  
Morning; Ball Players to  
Witness the Games

Quebec will reach Victoria on Saturday, the N. H. A. Champions passed through Winnipeg on their way to the coast yesterday, and unless they stop off at Vancouver, will reach this city on Saturday night. According to press despatches the Eastern Champions are in fine shape, and every man is confident of victory in the approaching series for the world's title, which will be staged at the Willowes Arena next Monday, Thursday and Saturday nights. The Senators are equally sure of winning two straight games, and Lester Patrick himself prophesies Victoria win. The locals are taking things easy this week, and the teaming at the Fit Rite.

## MIKE LYNCH ANNOUNCES HIS LINEUP FOR TO-MORROW'S GAME

Weed Will Play First Base;  
Barry Will Not  
Report

Victorians will get their first opportunity of witnessing the Bees in action to-morrow afternoon at the Royal Athletic park, when the Tacoma Olympics hook up with the Victoria club in the first of a series of exhibition games that have been arranged. The Tacoma ball players will arrive here to-morrow morning and will play on Saturday also. Reduced prices will prevail for the exhibition games, and as Lynch will work his entire team, the fans should turn out strong to look over their prospective champions.

Manager is tickled.

Lynch is well pleased with the squad that he has under his wing, and the chilly breeze handicapped the players a great deal, there is any amount of "p" in the outfit and the Terrible Turk looks for a battling aggression that will be in the pennant hunt all the way. Nearly all the players are now in town, though Shca, Burrell and Shultz have yet to report.

Information has been received that Barry, one of the pitchers, Dugdale, of Athletics, got from the Philadelphia Athletics, does not intend to report this year.

Manager is tickled.

ASK RECONSIDERATION,

Belfast, Ireland, March 20.—The Royal Ulster Yacht Club to-day called to the New York Yacht Club asking for a reconsideration of its refusal of Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America's cup.

**MARQUARD WILL  
JOIN THE GIANTS;  
BYRNE INJURED**

Rube Marquard has left Los Angeles on his way to Martin, where the Giants are training. Thorpe, with two singles and a double, hit 1,000 on yesterday's practice game.

Bobby Byrne, the Pirates' third-sacker, was struck by a ball flung by Joe Wood and is now in the hospital in a precarious condition. The champions won the first game of the series 7 to 2.

Other exhibition games were:  
Detroit, 6; New Orleans, 1.  
St. Louis, 3; Albany, 1.  
Athletics, 9; Memphis, 4.

**MANDOT MATCHED.**

Joe Mandot and J. Lore have been matched to fight at New Orleans on April 7.

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Customer—Heavy: What is that term?—that term is that term which is going on in the back part of the store?

Two walkin: You mean they loud talking? That's the silent partner. Something went wrong early this morning.

## CHESS MASTERS ARE TO MEET AT HAVANA

Six Leading Men in the World  
Are Invited to  
Take Part

New York, March 20.—A chess match to be participated in by six of the leading chess masters of the world, will be held in Havana next January, according to announcement made here to-day. A fund of \$10,000 will be provided to pay all the expenses. Invitations to play were sent Dr. E. Lasker, of Berlin, the world's champion; Dr. S. Tarrasch, of Nuremberg; Carl Schlechter, of Vienna, and A. K. Rubinstein, of Lodz, Russia. Frank J. Marshall, the American champion, and Jose R. Capablanca, the Cuban master, have already consented to play.

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Revelstoke, B. C., March 20.—Freight and passenger traffic on the Arrow Lakes branch of this city is badly demoralized by the snowslide which occurred on Monday night at Greenhills station, eleven miles south of this city. The slide is the largest in recent years, and is a mile and a quarter in length and about forty feet in depth. It contains a large amount of ice and timber, upon which the rotary snowplows have little effect.

The C. P. R. have purchased all the dynamite available and are making every effort to get the track clear. The local officials claim that the road will be cleared by to-morrow, but it is probable that it will be blocked for several days yet.

In the meantime passengers from the Slocan and Crow's Nest are being kept on the C. P. R. boats in Arrowhead, while those southbound are located in the C. P. R. hotels here.

**MUSICA FAMILY WERE  
LOADED WITH MONEY**

Ninety-Eight Thousand in Currency and Large Bills in Their Clothing

New Orleans, La., March 20.—Five of the Musica family of New York, three of the male members of which are charged with defrauding European and American bankers arrested here yesterday on the steamship Heredia, bound for Panama, had much money in their possession. In the clothes of Antonio Musica and his three sons, George, Arthur and Phillip, the police found \$80,000 in currency, and from the corset of Grace Musica, a daughter, \$18,000 in large bills was extracted. Grace and her sister, Louise, are held as material witnesses.

When the party was being taken from the wharf to the central police station the elder Musica tried to get a revolver from Phillip, and when a detective interfered the man exclaimed: "No, I won't give it up. I am going to kill myself before I get to police headquarters."

It was necessary for the officers to take the weapon away from the man by force.

**NOTED OPERA SINGER  
HAS SUDDEN ILLNESS**

Pittsburg, Pa., March 20.—Grace Van Studdiford, opera singer, is in the eye and ear seriously ill. She was overcome Monday night by an attack of acute laryngitis and was unable to appear at the Grand, where she was billed to play this week. Her engagements for the next three weeks have been cancelled and the attending physicians are doubtful if it will be safe for Miss Van Studdiford to leave the hospital for at least a fortnight.

**ROBERT DOLLAR MUST  
BE PLACED IN DOCK**

Seattle, March 20.—Alexander Gow, port captain of the Robert Dollar Steamship Company, whose steamship the Robert Dollar is lying in Elliott Bay in a disabled condition, said that it had been decided to discharge the vessel's cargo and to place her on the dry dock of the Seattle Construction & Dry Dock Company for survey.

The vessel has a cargo of 5,000 tons of wheat and 1,500,000 feet of lumber, which she loaded on the Columbia river.

A diver was sent down Sunday to examine the vessel, but the exact extent of the damage was not learned and it was decided to dry dock her for survey.

The Robert Dollar arrived in Seattle Sunday in tow of the tug Goliah, and was taken to a buoy in the bay. She bumped the Columbia river bar on March 11, while passing out from Astoria bound for Yokohama.

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## MME. CLARA BUTT COMING TO VICTORIA

Great English Contralto to Sing  
Here on April 11 With  
Her Husband

A special meeting of the Ladies' Musical Club of Victoria was held yesterday afternoon for the purpose of arranging for the forthcoming visit here of Mme. Clara Butt, the world-famous contralto, and her husband, Kennerly Rumford, who will sing under the auspices of the above organization on the evening of Friday, April 11, at the Victoria theatre. The greatest enthusiasm was shown, and there is little doubt that the visit of the great ballad and oratorio singer with her talented husband will be one of the very popular musical events of the year. The programme which is to be given will consist entirely of English songs, three sets of which will be given by the big contralto, and two by Mr. Rumford. Mme. Clara Butt and Kennerly Rumford, who, accompanied by their three children are crossing the continent in a private car specially reserved for their use, are on their way to Australia, where they will make a three-months' concert tour. Mrs. Hermann Robertsen, president of the Ladies' Musical Club, presided at yesterday's meeting.

## DR. A. J. THOMAS IS LEAGUE PRESIDENT

Voters' League Relieves Alderman Meston of Office at Annual Gathering

### ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HEARS THE REPORTS

New Officers and Committees  
Are Struck for Coming Year

The Voters' League reorganized last evening at an enthusiastic meeting held at the Castle Hall, and elected the following principal officers: President, Dr. Alfred J. Thomas; vice-presidents, Mrs. Williscroft, Messrs. A. Mitchell, Watson and J. McEwan; secretary, Clarence Harris; assistant secretary, G. Robinson; treasurer, E. J. Jones.

It will be seen that Alderman Meston, the retiring president, is relieved of office, the reason being that the league exists to elect public men to positions of trust, and when they are elected it relieves them of duties in the association. A vote of thanks was tendered the alderman for assistance given to the League in the past year.

In the absence of the president James McEwan occupied the chair. An outline was given of the work of the past year, and of the referendums which have been submitted on various questions. The report said that unsuppressive councils have been the means of preventing the expressed wish of the electors taking effect. Reorganization on a broader basis has taken place, and it was in the community interest the league desired to stimulate in public matters rather than the welfare of private individuals and corporations. Greater results would be obtained by co-operative effort, and the greater interest should be taken in all institutions bonused from the municipal treasury.

The membership of the league, it was stated, was now approaching the two hundred mark, and with increasing membership more active committee work might be attempted with success.

The secretary, Clarence Harris, then gave an account of the work of the past year, and of the two municipal campaigns which have been conducted recently, and afterwards officers were elected.

The next gathering will be held at the Castle Hall, on April 2, a social session following.

Committees were struck as follows: Revision of constitution and platform (rendered necessary by the modification of the present platform, some of its objects having been attained) W. H. Parsons, James McEwan, John Boyd, Clarence Harris and Mrs. Gleason.

Membership and registration: W. H. Davies, Watson, Malcolm Smith, Leonard Osborne and Allan Jeeves.

Legislative: W. H. Parsons, J. McEwan, Edward Bernath, Brown and A. E. Mitchell.

Public institutions: E. A. Wright,

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James Hastie, A. Hodges, Miss Copeland and Miss Jubb.

Civic: Phil R. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Mitchell, E. B. Jones, A. Ledingham and H. Watson.

Health and morals: G. A. Dyson, F. G. Orr, H. A. Potts, A. Hodges and Mrs. Spofford.

Civic amusements and recreation: E. Crompton, A. R. Hodges, Jr., W. R. Ferris and Stanley Young.

Ladies' social committee: Madames Meston, Harris, Lumden, McEwan, G. Ledingham, Northam, Dyson, Thomas, W. S. Ledingham and Berth.

Education: A. R. Hodges, H. A. Potts, G. W. Podwell, J. Boyd and A. E. Mitchell.

### EBERTS TO RESIGN

### THE SPEAKERSHIP

Is Stated He Will Go to Appellate Bench Soon

### ALLISON TO BE MADE FIRST AUDITOR-GENERAL

Has Been Government Agent at Hazelton for a Long Time

Rumors to the effect that Hon. D. M. Eberts, K. C., Speaker of the provincial parliament and member for Saanich, is shortly to resign his position have been very persistent lately. The general supposition for his resignation is that he is to be appointed to the enlarged Appellate Court within the next few weeks.

Mr. Eberts was born at Chatham, Ontario, April 22, 1850, and was educated at the Chatham grammar school and Hellmuth college. He came to British Columbia in practice as a solicitor in 1880, and two years later was admitted to the bar. In 1884 he was elected a member of the Law Society, and took silk in 1882. He practices his profession here in partnership with W. J. Taylor, K. C.

The rumors recall that he is to have a judgeship now recall the fact that in 1896 he was recommended by Sir Charles Tupper's government for an appointment to the bench.

Mr. Eberts has sat in the provincial parliament since 1890, and has represented Saanich continuously since 1895. He has been a member of various governments and held the attorney-generalship in the Turner, Dunsmuir and Prior administrations. In 1907 he was elected Speaker of the House, and has held that position every since.

Auditor-Generalship.

These changes in government circles have aroused the greatest interest throughout the city and province. Following the news of the superannuation of J. McR. Smith and J. A. Anderson, from the deputy-ministership of finance and the government's auditorship, comes the authoritative news that Mr. Goepel is to be appointed in succession to Mr. Smith, and that W. Allison, government agent at Hazelton, is to be the first auditor-general of the province.

Mr. Allison has been in the government service for many years, and has a large circle of friends in Victoria. The news of his appointment to the position created during the recent session will come as a surprise to many.

CONCERT AT GORDON HEAD.

At the Irish concert to be given this evening in the Gordon Head Hall, under the direction of J. O. Dunford, assisted by Jesse Longfield, organist of St. Andrew's church, the following well-known soloists will sing: Mrs. A. S. Lock, H. M. Underhill, Miss Lilian Blakeway, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Codd, Mrs. D. C. Read, W. McElroy, T. A. Ross, Miss Josie Beck and Mr. Dunford. The programme, which includes a long range of interesting Irish and other melodies, will conclude with a double quartette. The proceeds of the concert will be given in aid of the Gordon Head Methodist church.

DISCOVER SHORTAGE ON OVERHAULING

### RESEVOIR LEVEL IS NOW MAINTAINED

North Dairy Pumping Station Plant Has Been Examined

Further Hearing of Bernath Arbitration To-day; Officials Give Testimony

TELL OF THE WATER AT RESERVOIR SITE

When is water pure?

This was the question which occupied the attention of the arbitrators, Hugh Kennedy, W. J. Cox, and James Forman, to-day in the resumed proceedings to determine the price to be paid to A. H. Harman and another in the Bernath claim for right-of-way at Humpback reservoir.

The arbitrators heard the evidence for the city of Victoria presented by the medical officer, Dr. G. A. B. Hall, and the city analyst, C. W. Birch, who gave evidence in rebuttal of the testimony given at a previous hearing, when an analysis presented by the government analyst, Heribert Carmichael, had declared the water of a creek on the property showed organic contamination.

The evidence of the officials, in answer to the examination of City Solicitor Robertson, who appealed for the corporation, went directly to show that Mr. Carmichael's analysis had not gone far enough to determine the character of the contamination, if any, while Mr. Birch's analysis of samples taken recently showed that the water was not injurious to health.

The overhauling resulted in the discovery that the pumps were not previously doing their duty, and that the city was not receiving anything like the water which was supposed to be passing through the two mains from Elk Lake. Since the repair work was

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

H. A. Lee, of Vancouver, is at the Ritz hotel.

R. C. Maxwell, of Denver, is at the Dominion hotel.

John W. Coburn, of Nanaimo, is at the Empress hotel.

C. S. Narpy, of Duncan, is staying at the James Bay hotel.

R. S. Miller, of Lindsay, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

G. R. Cross, of Vancouver, is among those at the Ritz hotel.

W. J. Smith, of London, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Harris, New Westminster, is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

L. D. Coates, a Seattle business man, is at the Empress hotel.

J. E. Jameson, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

R. MacLean, of Los Angeles, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

A. J. Cavan, of Ottawa, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Page, of Saturna, is staying at the Ritz hotel for a short time.

H. Bishop, of Mayne Island, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

Dr. Burby and Mrs. Burby, of Tacoma, are staying at the Ritz hotel.

Sir Richard McBride is expected back in the city a week from to-day.

Thomas Thew came yesterday from Portland, and registered at the Ritz hotel.

F. Robson, of Roseburg, Ore., came to the city yesterday and registered at the Ritz hotel.

C. A. Rath, of London river, is in the city for a few days, staying at the Dominion hotel.

W. H. Ingram and Mrs. Ingram, of Vancouver, are at the Empress hotel for a few days.

Miss N. Johnson arrived from London, England, yesterday and registered at the Ritz hotel.

Mrs. M. Strange is a visitor in the city from London, Eng. She is staying at the Ritz hotel.

H. G. Lawley, F. Ring and A. Barlow are guests at the Dominion hotel from Black creek.

T. A. Robley, of Nelson, arrived in Victoria yesterday, and registered at the Dominion hotel.

E. S. Keist and Mrs. Keist, of Vancouver, are staying at the James Bay hotel for a few days.

L. Q. Swetland, of Portland, manager of the New Perkins hotel, paid a flying visit to Victoria yesterday.

Seattle visitors in the capital include B. O. Keist, who arrived yesterday and became a guest at the Ritz hotel.

Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, is in Vernon on business this week. He is expected back at an early date.

E. H. Hill, a New Westminster business man, arrived at the Empress hotel from the mainland yesterday.

A birthday dinner was given to Miss Gertrude White last evening by her father at the Ritz hotel. Many guests were present.

Miss Lois Steers, manager of Lening, the Russian pianist, left for Portland last night. She stayed at the Empress hotel.

M. D. Boyd, a Toronto business man, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Vancouver. He is staying at the Empress hotel.

W. H. Lyon and wife, of Vancouver, are in the city, and are registered at the Empress hotel. They expect to remain here several days.

William Charles Levesley, a prominent cutlery manufacturer, of Sheffield, England.

No Man in all this world ever rightfully gets more than he gives. And if he does he is just a plain thief—discredit first to himself, then to every body else. The Equal Division is always the Just Division—half to you and half to him. In other words, on the basis 50-50.

Be glad to give as much as you take.

You who are an employee, are you sure you are giving in service as much as you are taking in money, experience, inspiration and training from your employer? Right now, take an invoice. Do the results look like 50-50? If not, start this plan into action.

Be glad to give as much as you take.

This plan of 50-50—rightly interpreted, means death to Whiners, to the disgruntled, and to the assassins of success. They can't live in the atmosphere of it. The air is too invigorating.

Be glad to give as much as you take. Every dispute in this world is traceable to the lack of the 50-50 principle.

The broken-up homes, the disintegrated businesses, the abandoned friendships, the wasteful armies of the world. There is need of this principle in every phase of life. But never will it become a rule of every day action until YOU, in your place, begin to apply 50-50.

Be glad to give as much as you take.

The year 1912 was the most disastrous in the history of marine insurance.

## WOMEN SHOULD BE PROTECTED

Against So Many Surgical Operations. How Mrs. Bethune and Mrs. Moore Escaped.

Sikeston, Mo.—"For seven years I suffered everything.

I was in bed for four or five days at a time every month, and so weak I could hardly walk. I cramped and had backache and headache, and was so nervous and weak that I dreaded to see anyone or have anyone move in the room.

The doctors gave me medicine to ease me

at those times, and I said that I ought to have an operation. I would not listen to that, and when a friend of my husband told him about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and what it had done for his wife, I was willing to take it.

Now I look the picture of health and feel it, too. I can do my own housework, hoe my garden, and milk a cow. I can entertain company and enjoy them. I can visit when I choose, and walk as far as any ordinary woman, any day in the month. I wish I could talk to every suffering woman and girl."—Mrs. DENA BETHUNE, Sikeston, Mo.

Murrayville, Ill.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for a very bad case of female trouble and it made me a well woman.

My health was all broken down, the doctors said I must have an operation, and I was ready to go to the hospital, but dreaded

so that I began taking your Compound.

I got along so well that I gave up the doctors and was saved from the operation."—Mrs. CHARLES MOORE, R. R. No. 2, Murrayville, Ill.

I emphasize those last few words because I think there isn't one person in a hundred who remembers more than two or three dates in all the innumerable lists he was obliged to learn in school.

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Before you read on, ask yourself what date in English history you remember, and I'll wager it will be that very one—1066 the Battle of Hastings. Incidentally two of the four could not tell what that battle stood for in English history, or why it was so important—things that would certainly have been worth remembering than its exact date.

The average person seems to remember more dates in American history, but even here he has little to show for the long lists he once learned. It is actually true that before I started talking with my friends about this subject, I could have named just four dates in American history, 1492, 1775, 1812 and 1861. And the only reason I remembered two of those dates was that they were embalmed in verse—"In 1492 Columbus sailed o'er the ocean blue"; "1775, hardly a man is now alive"—and verse I do not easily forget.

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**"Provincial Elections Act"**  
Victoria City and Esquimalt Electoral Districts.

NOTICE is hereby given that the List of Voters for the Victoria City and Esquimalt Electoral Districts have been cancelled, and that applications to be placed on the Voters' Lists will be received at my Office at the Court House Building, on the 4th day of March, 1913, and notice of any name on the register of voters must be given in the thirty days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

The list of persons claiming to vote will be suspended from and after the seventh day of April, 1913, and a Court of Revision will be held on the nineteenth day of May, 1913, and notice of any name on the register of voters must be given in the thirty days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

DATED this 4th day of March, 1913.  
HARVEY COMBE,  
Registrar of Voters for the Victoria City Electoral District.



**"Provincial Elections Act"**  
Islands Electoral District.

NOTICE is hereby given that the List of Voters for the Islands Electoral District has been cancelled, and that applications to be placed on the Voters' Lists will be received at my office at Sidney, where printed forms of affidavit to be used in support of an application to vote will be supplied. The list of persons claiming to vote will be suspended from and after the seventh day of April, 1913, and a Court of Revision will be held on the nineteenth day of May, and notice of objections to the insertion of any name on the register of voters must be given in the thirty days before the holding of the Court of Revision.

DATED this 4th day of March, 1913.  
WILLIAM WHITING,  
Registrar of Voters for the Islands Electoral District.

## PARTISANSHIP IS STRONGLY CONDEMNED

Vancouver Island Development League Secretary Criticized for Attitude in Election

The participation of the secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League in municipal politics, in writing and speaking against Mayor Morley's candidature for the mayoralty at the recent election, came before the city council last evening in a discussion of the estimates, when the item of a contribution of \$6,000 towards the League's funds was being debated.

The mayor and Alderman Cuthbert both spoke against the acts, the former saying that the paid official of a body receiving support from the city had no right to take the platform against the candidate for mayor, whoever he might be. There were other bodies engaged in publicity work in the city which might well share in the city's grants.

Alderman Gleeson hoped the council would take a broader view than to penalize the League for the act of its official and indicated that he expected to move a resolution in the council shortly drawing the attention of the president of the League to the act of Mr. McGaffey.

The mayor remarked that the incident was too much of a Yankee trick for him to pass unnoticed.

Ultimately the item was laid over so that the other publicity organizations in the city might be heard from. There will be a meeting to consider a joint scheme of city publicity shortly by the various bodies in the city interested in this class of work.

## RUSH IS TOO GREAT REPOSE MUST COME

Lievinne, Russian Pianist, Says Change Needed to Produce Great Artists

"The rush of business life in America precludes the nation from producing great musical artists, pianists, violinists, and such. I have no doubt, when they become more settled and more closely approach that co-ordination which exists in society in Europe, that they will develop some geniuses. They are very keenly appreciative of artists, perhaps even more so than the average audiences in Europe. They are fond of light entertainments, and I don't believe that many really understand the pure art of the higher music." In the foregoing Joseph Lievinne, the great Russian pianist, summed up his impression of the musical situation in the United States and Canada.

"The nation's music," he continued, "is the expression of the national character. That may perhaps explain why it is that England, and the Anglo-Saxon nations, have, as a whole, produced comparatively few composers of real inspiration. The piano, or the violin, require intense concentration on the part of the student, and anything which interferes with that concentration mars the possibility of success. One cannot have two loves, in music or any other art."

Asked what instrument was the greatest factor in music M. Lievinne unhesitatingly said: "the piano. On what other instrument is it possible to convey all the expression of Beethoven's Symphony, for example? The violin? You get only a half expression. It is the same with the others."

In spite of the reputation he has, and the many receptions he has been honored at, Lievinne is natural and unaffected. He speaks English faultlessly, and French and German equally fluently, while, of course, he is a native of Russia. He is a tireless worker, and ascribes his success to single-hearted devotion to his art.

## WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, March 28—5 a.m.—The barometer remains abnormally high and fine, despite cold weather in general throughout the island. The temperature is also fine and cold eastward to Manitoba, with lowest temperatures ranging from 10 below zero in Southern Alberta to 20 below in Saskatchewan.

In connection with these departmental expenditures there was a big fight over the sidewalk along the Dallas road seawall, some of the aldermen describing the present condition along one of the principal walkways as disgraceful. The item of \$4,000 was however dropped.

Further consideration is to be taken of the item for a municipal garage and repair shop for the city's cars at Garibaldi road. It is hoped that some temporary sheds may be built this year in place of the proposed concrete building.

## ELECTED OFFICERS

Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association Holds its Annual Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association held last night, the following officers were elected for the present year: Honorary president, His Honor Judge Lampman; honorary vice-president, Mr. James Wood; president, Mr. W. O. Carter; first, second and third vice-presidents, Messrs. W. W. Van Arum, John Lewis and J. Smith; secretary-treasurer, Mr. H. D. Reed; assistant secretary, Mr. E. T. Nachtrieb; Executive, Messrs. G. Greenwood, J. Black, A. E. Smith, W. H. Smith, J. McGregor, A. J. Gray and L. W. Carlow. Mr. Reed, whose continuance in his office as secretary was greeted with acclaim, was also elected as delegate to the board of directors of the British Columbia Poultry Association.



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## LITTLE NEW WORK IS TO BE STARTED YET

Widening and Extensions Will Be Left Over Till Financial Situation Eases

It is doubtful if any more local improvement work will be authorized till a sale has been effected of the city debentures which are shortly to be floated. Several petitions for the improvement and extension of streets were presented to the city council on Monday and laid over till the situation becomes easier.

The new local improvement act has necessitated a new by-law, which is being prepared. It will place the rules governing these measures on a somewhat different basis. Probably the council will reaffirm the principle that no more local improvement works where they involve the widening and extension of streets will be undertaken till the owners agree upon a price and come to the city with a concrete proposal which will show exactly what is involved in the way of compensation.

In negotiating the Fisgard street widening last year the council found some persons willing to give the land, while others opposed the proposal. Ultimately a settlement was reached on a

basis satisfactory to all. In other cases some owners have been paid small sums per front foot, while others have received double or triple the amount for an equal frontage on the same street.

The notices will go out from the assessor's office, instead of being publicly advertised, as was formerly the case.

## WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT

Victoria Meteorological Office, from 12th to 18th March, 1913:

Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 15 hours and 36 minutes; rain, .73 inch; highest temperature, 49.3 on 17th; lowest, 32.4 on 18th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 30 hours and 30 minutes; rain, 2.72 inches; highest temperature, 48 on 16th; lowest, 34 on 17th.

New Westminster—Rain, 3.09 inches; snow, .5 inches; highest temperature, 47.4 on 18th; lowest, 31 on 17th.

Kamloops—No rain or snow; highest temperature, 52 on 16th; lowest, 16 on 18th.

Barkerville—Snow, 22.30 inches; highest temperature, 32 on 16th; lowest, 26 below on 18th.

Rupert—Rain, 2.62 inches; snow, .5 on 16th; highest temperature, 46 on 18th.

Prince Rupert—Rain, 2.62 inches; snow, .5 on 16th; highest temperature, 46 on 18th.

Atlin—Snow, 12.60 inches; highest temperature, 22 on 14th; lowest, 14 below on 18th, 17th and 18th.

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## NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of Ludwig (Louis) Hafer, late of Victoria, B. C. Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate are required to send particulars thereof duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of March, 1913, after which date the Executrix will proceed to distribute the said estate according to law.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1913.

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Solicitor for the Executrix. 88-8 Central Building, Victoria, B. C.

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## FIRE DEPARTMENT SUPPLIES

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p.m. on Monday, March 24, 1913, for the following undermentioned articles:

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71 Firemen's Uniforms.  
3000 feet of 2½ inch Cotton Rubber Lined Hose.  
600 feet of 1 inch Rubber Chemical Hose.  
12,000 feet of 24 Conductor, No. 16 B. & S. Gauge, Copper, Rubber Insulated Cable.  
6000 feet 2 Conductor No. 16 B. & S. Gauge, Copper, Rubber Insulated Cable.  
8 miles No. 12 W. P. Steel Wire, B. & S. Gauge.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on outside "Tender for Fire Department Supplies." Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5 per cent of the value of the tender. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,  
City Purchasing Agent  
Victoria, B. C., March 7, 1913.

## SHAWNIGAN LAKE PROPERTY FOR SALE

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## M. A. WYLDE

Strathcona, Shawnigan Lake, B. C.

## NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph E. Wilson and James S. Yates, of the City of Victoria in the Province of British Columbia (trustees of the Erb Estate) are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada, Council for approval of the area, name, site and description of the water property to be constructed in Lime Bay, Victoria Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situated, lying and being in Victoria City (Government of British Columbia) and described as Lot Four (4) and part of Lot Five (5), Plan 206, Lime Bay, Victoria West, and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description of the same with the Office of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the same will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1913.

JOSEPH E. WILSON and JAMES S.

YATES.  
Trustees of the Erb Estate.

By their Solicitors,  
Messrs. Robertson & Holisterman,  
81 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

## ALLOW THE PRESS ATTEND COMMITTEE

Majority of Council Favors the Presence of News-papermen

## TAKE UP ESTIMATES FOR EXPENDITURE

Council Last Evening Reverses Decision to Sit in Camera

action, but was acting for the principle involved.

Alderman Dilworth also supported open meetings.

The mayor said it was a matter of indifference to him what was done, but it was not usual to have the press present on these occasions.

Alderman Porter supported Alderman Cuthbert's motion to throw open the meeting to the press. He was not afraid of what he did in the council or in committee.

Alderman Gleason opposed in that the presence of the press would hamper the aldermen in their deliberations. He had confidential information which he desired to read to the aldermen, but should not do so in the presence of the press representatives.

There was a lengthy consideration on the point of order whether the formal resolution of the council bound the council that night, and the upshot of the discussion was that the majority approved the suggestion to admit the press, those voting for the motion being: Aldermen Porter, Cuthbert, Houston, Fullerton, Humber, Dilworth, and McCandless and against, Mayor Morley, Alderman Gleason and Men-

tion.

There was quite a long fight in the council chamber last evening before it was finally decided that the press should be admitted when the council took up once more the consideration of the civic estimates.

The majority decided to admit the press, but the minority, consisting of the mayor, Alderman Gleason and Alderman Morley, opposed on the ground that a resolution had been adopted to sit in camera, and it was desirable to follow the procedure of past councils in having the session of the committee in private.

Alderman Cuthbert introduced the matter to the attention of the aldermen, stating that the press representatives were waiting for an opinion and ruling of the council. He thought the aldermen might reach a satisfactory settlement of the subject by allowing them in, and leaving subjects to their discretion as to whether publicity should be given in the public interest.

For his part, said the alderman, he did not propose to have another incident such as occurred on Friday night.

The mayor asked who the alderman was who asked for the committee to sit in camera.

Alderman Cuthbert agreed he was the alderman referred to, but circumstances had changed.

Who queried the mayor, had been responsible for the policy of secrecy in finance committee matters while the speaker was out of office?

Alderman Cuthbert believed that he was, but it was at the request of the then chairman of the finance committee, Alderman Gleason, who was presiding over the council proceedings at the time.

The alderman persisted that he was only standing up for fair play. He was not reflecting on the mayor's

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## CURTAIL VOTE UPON PARKS AND RESERVES

Few Improvements for Mount Douglas and Stadacona Parks This Year

committee of the whole on the civic estimates last evening the city council had some discussion on the starvation of the city parks, weighing the necessity, even in a time of financial stress, of spending more money on the pleasure resorts of the city.

Alderman Dilworth, chairman of the parks committee, and Alderman Humber, a former chairman who secured the North Ward park to the public use, together with Alderman Cuthbert, fought strongly for the better provision for park purposes than the finance committee recommended, but they were beaten by majority votes in most instances.

Alderman Gleason, chairman of the finance committee, said the other aldermen could see as well as the speakers how necessary it was for the parks to be improved, but every possible item which could be omitted this year would be curtailed to make the revenue meet the expenditure.

The total vote will be less than \$30,000. The appropriation for Beacon Hill Park will be \$15,000, or \$2,000 less than last year. Only \$2,000 will be spent on Mount Douglas park, the minority standing out for double that amount. One thousand dollars is to be the limit for the development of Stadacona park, which will shortly pass into the possession of the city from Major Dupont. This figure is half the amount set out in the draft.

To give entertainments as well as concerts in the parks, the sum of \$2500 was set aside, Alderman Dilworth undertaking that the amount should be distributed between the parks in a fair proportion. The same alderman made an appeal for a concrete wall at Tillicum road, to protect the arbutus trees at the City park, which were threatened, but the mayor declared it was impossible to find any more money this year.

MEET COMMISSION MONDAY.

Strong Representations for Victoria to Be Made to Grain Commissioner.

The secretary of the Board of Trade received a wire from the secretary of the Grain Commission yesterday afternoon to the effect that the commissioners would meet the board in Victoria on Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

Yesterday the commission sat in Vancouver deliberating the claims of the Terminal City concerning the shipment of grain. It was from that point

the message was received. It is stated that the case for Victoria, now being drawn up by the members of the harbour and navigation committee will be a very strong one. Every member has had intimate experience with the subject to be discussed and has also made a special study of the grain situation.

The members of the committee will address the commission in turn, and after that any other member of the board who may have suggestions to offer will be heard. Every possible step is being taken to have a bumper meeting, if possible; one of the largest in the history of the Victoria Board of Trade.

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BEEF EXTRACTS	
BOVRIL, 1-ounce jar	20¢
2-ounce jar	35¢
4-ounce jar	65¢
JOHNSON'S FLUID BEEF, large 16-ounce jar	90¢
BOVRIL CORDIAL, large 20-ounce jar	\$1.00
BLACKING	
2-IN-1, JUST OUT, ENGLISH ARMY or 1-IN-1 TAN; 3 tins for	25¢
CANNED FISH	
SALMON, Horseshoe brand, per can, 25¢ and	15¢
Sunflower brand, 2 cans for	25¢
Tiger brand, per can	20¢
MACKEREL IN TOMATO SAUCE, Scotch, per can	10¢
HERRINGS IN TOMATO SAUCE, Scotch, per can	10¢
HERRINGS IN TOMATO SAUCE, Canadian, 2 cans for	25¢
LOBSTER, per can, 45¢, 35¢ and	20¢
SHRIMPS, dry, per can	15¢
SARDINES, Crosse & Blackwell's, 2 tins for	25¢
SARDINES, Canadian, 4 tins for	25¢

CANNED FRUIT	
PEARS, California, large can	25¢
APRICOTS or PEACHES, Okanagan, large can	25¢
BLACK CURRANTS, RASPBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES, GOOSEBERRIES or LAWTON BERRIES, Tartan brand, 2-lb. can	25¢
PINEAPPLE, Singapore, per can, 15¢ and	10¢
GOLD SEAL MILK, 2 cans for	25¢
PURNELL'S or GUMBELL'S MALT VINEGAR, quart bottle	15¢
STEPHEN'S ENGLISH PICKLES, large quart jar	25¢
GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, large 3-lb. pkt.	20¢
ANTI-COMBINE LAUNDRY SOAP, 7 full weight bars	25¢
PURE WHITE CASTILE SOAP, long bar	20¢
SUPERFINE TOILET SOAP, 9 cakes for	25¢
ARMOUR'S LIGHTHOUSE CLEANSER, equal to any cleanser made; 4 tins for	25¢
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TICKLER'S MARMALADE, 1-lb. glass jar	15¢
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HARTNEY'S OR NOEL'S JAM, all kinds	

## AUDIENCE DRANK

## PROPERTY WINE

Bailiff Appeared During Theatre Performance and Seized Box Office Takings

At a Bordeaux theatre in France recently, just as the curtain was about to rise, a bailiff appeared with a policeman and seized the box-office. During the day the landlord had rendered his account for rent which the lessee had been unable to meet.

When the company heard of the bailiff's visit, they refused to give the performance.

The bailiff offered them half the takings but in vain, and there was no money forthcoming to return to the disappointed audience, some of whom became very excited and committed all kinds of eccentricities, even drinking the bottles of wine provided for use on the stage.

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## A GOLFING JUDGE HAS GOOD ANECDOTES

An amusing collection of anecdotes of the bench and bar, collected by Mr. Arthur Engelbach, is published to-day by Grant Richards. Many of the stories are well known in legal circles, but others are new.

Sometimes the judge does not have it all his own way in the battle of wits, and in one case he fared badly. A carpenter having neglected to make a gibbet which was ordered by the hangman, on the ground that he had not been paid for the last he had erected, gave much offence that the next time the judge came on circuit he was sent for.

"Follow," said the judge, in a stern tone, "how came you to neglect making the gibbet that was ordered on my account?" "I humbly beg your pardon," said the carpenter, "had I known that it had been for your lordship it would have been done immediately."

A learned judge, another story goes, being asked the difference between law and equity court, replied: At common law you are done for at once; at equity you are not so easily disposed of.

One is prussic acid, the other is laudanum. Mr. Justice Lawrence, who was an ardent golfer in his younger days, told this story against himself. A boy appeared before him as a witness, and on the learned judge asking him if he was aware of the nature of an oath the youth replied, "Of course I am; ain't your caddie?"

"He always says the right thing at the right time, doesn't he?"

"More than that. He always keeps still at the right time."

## BRITISH NAVY'S

## TREASURE TROVE

Story of a Promotion and \$500 Pension; Find of Articles Worth Over \$50,000

A curious story of the promotion of a man who had been certified unfit for further duty and of his pension thus being increased from £20 to over £100 (although he had been in the navy only about two years) appears in the navy appropriation accounts, issued last night.

There are revelations, indeed, on a variety of topics.

The complete search of the dockyards, both at home and abroad, ordered some time ago by the Admiralty, has resulted in the discovery of materials and stores valued at £10,697 which had been drawn from store for specific services and had not been required.

The largest accumulation, valued at £3,440, was at Portsmouth, and included a large quantity of ships' plates, cable and chain. At Chatham metal, timber and other stores valued at £1,546 were returned to store. At the yards abroad the largest accumulations were at Gibraltar, £1,090, and Malta, £1,061.

The invalid who was promoted had the following record: Appointed to the navy as engineer sub-lieutenant on August 1, 1909; invalidated in March, 1911, and discharged to half pay in June, after being reported unfit for further service. The comptroller reported:

"Although it had been certified by the naval medical authorities that there was no reasonable probability of his being able to return to duty, he was promoted in November—five weeks before compulsory retirement—to the rank of engineer-lieutenant, whereby his retired pay was increased from £20 per annum to £100 7s. 6d."

"In reply to my inquiry as to the circumstances held to justify this increased charge on navy votes, the Admiralty stated that, as the officer was fully qualified, and his record in all respects was satisfactory, it would not have been customary or justifiable to have passed him over for the step in rank.

"In the army an officer on half pay in consequence of ill health receives no promotion until he returns to duty; and it appeared to me that, throughout the public service, considerations should be given to the state of an officer's health as one of the necessary qualifications for promotion involving increase of pay and pension."

The comptroller says he therefore referred the matter to the Treasury, who "find it difficult to understand how the officer in question could be regarded as 'fully qualified' for promotion." They have, therefore, suggested to the Admiralty that an officer who, by reason of illness not contracted in the naval service, is on half pay, and unable to return to active service when required, shall not on retirement receive any higher rate of retired pay than he was entitled to at the date of his discharge to half pay or of his failure to return to active service, unless he subsequently completed a certain specified period of continuous service on full pay.

Another curious item is £553 8s. 10d., loss due to the condemnation, on Australian and China stations, of pork supplied by a contractor. The total loss was £3,644 11s. 2d., but as the warranty only applied to the Australian station, the firm took exception to the portion that had been sent to the China station, and the matter was compromised, on the advice of the crown solicitor, by the acceptance of £3,091 2s. 4d."

Then there is £720, over-issue of pension to an officer's widow. The over-issue arose owing to her failure to record a slight increase of income which disqualifies her for the receipt of the pension. In view of the great age and precarious health of the widow, and the fact that her income never exceeded the limit by more than a trifling sum, it was considered that insistence on a refund would be a harsh and inequitable measure."

One cannot but reflect, at the present moment, how grave a disaster for all concerned was the revolution which overthrew General Porfirio Diaz.

It was justified by its promoters on the plea that the country was fit for democracy and that the people at large were desirous of exercising their political rights.

But the fact is that no gain in democratic evolution has resulted from the movement, while, on the contrary, the country has been plunged into chronic disorders, which now, at last, it may be hoped, are about to end; brigandage has taken a new lease of life; the finances of the government, which had been carried to a high pitch of prosperity under the administration of General Diaz, have been compromised; wealth has been wasted; the credit and good name of the republic have been impaled; the investment of foreign capital has been checked; thousands of lives have been sacrificed, and untold suffering and sorrow have entered countless Mexican homes.

And all for what? Can anyone name a single advantage to offset such manifold and manifest evils?

The whole Mexican people must make up their minds to a painful process of reconstruction.

We are afraid that the result of this experiment, wherever the blame may lie, will discourage any move for some time to come in the direction of practical democracy. We said the other day that the Madero administration started out with an honest and sincere endeavor to reduce its theories of democracy to practice, but whether



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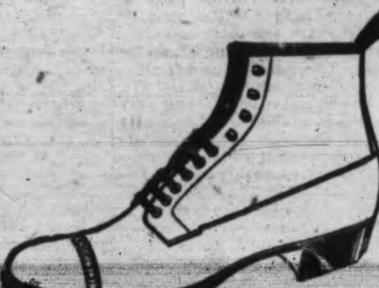
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## SCENERY RESEMBLES THAT OF SWITZERLAND

Citizen Who Has Travelled Widely in Republic Gives Impressions

### ALL GROUND IS USED AIR REMARKABLY PURE

Trains Now Rumble Where One-Seated Postchaises Formerly Went

The beautiful country of Vancouver Island, and its vicinity, swiftly carries one's thoughts back to another country, nearly its counterpart, in far-away Europe, writes a Victoria citizen to the Times. In describing the mountainous republic, in which he has travelled widely, No bluer than Puget Sound lies Lake Geneva in a basin many miles in extent, surrounded by the Alps and the mountains of Savoy. Flourishing on its rim are many beautiful towns. Some are cities, some are villages. Hotels peep over from high plateau or mountain crag and are popular for winter sports, health or summer wanderings. There are villas and farmhouses and many schools.

At one end of the lake is old Chillon Castle, its foundations bathed in water on which swans majestically float, and not far beyond, the inn where Byron lived and dreamed. Then to the west the eye sweeps up the deeply cut valley of the Rhone.

High up on a sloping hillside, above Montreux, is a unique hamlet. A tiny clutch-trail slowly climbs, twice a day, several thousand feet into snow-capped regions, passing wonderful views of pine forest, deep ravines, rosy snow summits and plateaus of solitary clinging chalets. The peasants with great ingenuity and thrift use every square yard of exposed ledge. Pasture, vegetable garden or vineyard seem to have a very precarious hold on life.

#### Built of Logs.

The train first stops at Leysin village, where the simple folk have clustered their picturesque homes. These are built of logs and have steep sloping roofs, secure by huge stones firmly uplifted by an avalanche or a storm. Often the front of the house is carved, or family motto is painted on its face. Three very low storeys shelter family and livestock. The stables for cows and goats are entered from the ground. An outside staircase continued in a narrow balcony, serving to stack wood, harness and sleds, leads to the one large living-room. Sometimes three generations are crowded in. One large bed is built into the wall and carved sliding doors secure privacy. The others sleep on cots or even benches. Under the eaves is a hay-loft or store-room, reached by a ladder. It is not exactly sanitary, for the odor of chickens, goats and pigs predominates and the windows are infinitesimal.

In summer, men, men and children watch their little flocks brousing on the hillside, make wine and cut wood. In winter they carve wood, knit, embroider hats and make pillow cases.

It is a breathless climb to the hotels and sanatoriums above, under the brow of a high peak. On the roads are shops and villas. The view is magnificent—every house has its balcony to every room.

#### Air is Pure.

The air is so pure and dry and rare that a syndicate of doctors owns nearly the entire place. Tuberculosis patients from all over Europe flock to its healing atmosphere. The doctors' fees are included in pension rates, which are very reasonable. Many people are entirely cured, but to others it would be fatal to go to the lower levels even for a day or two.

In January the snow is many feet deep, but the temperature so warm that more than the usual white "woolies"—sweater, cap and gloves universally worn—would be oppressive.

One longs for the agility of the chamois to explore the higher ridges and reach the perpetual snow-line. Every day the peaks in which the village nestles take on fresh colors and fresh charms, or sometimes it is veiled in a snowstorm. Flakes dry as feathers float over the landscape and then suddenly the sun bursts out and wreaths it in gold.

By Easter the sheltered vales are thickly carpeted with violets, violets, cowslips, primroses and bluebells. Shortly after the whole countryside bursts out in almond, apple and peach blossoms. The woods are thick with exquisitely scented lilies of the valley and yellow daffodils, while the meadows look as if snow had made a late farewell visit, so white are they now with the starry narcissus. In low stone enclosures on the sunny south terraces, grapevines are pushing out fresh green tendrils.

#### Attractive Vistas.

One revels in goat's milk, cheeses, butter that taste like cream, bread a yard long—slightly sour, but delicious; aromatic wild strawberries, cherries and grapes, bought for the smallest coin. Or perhaps one has bargained with the owner for a franc or so for the privilege of wandering in his vineyard and eating at his own sweet will.

Bears and chamois are getting very scarce in Switzerland, and the pretty white velvet edelweiss and trumpet-like alpenrose are all receding before the invasions of armies of excursionists.

Twenty years ago if one wished to see a glacier it was reached in a one-seated post chaise with horses tandem, and postillions astride, wildly cracking their whips. In the quiet valleys peasants called to each other with long, thin alpine horn, goats jingled their sweet-toned bells, boys "yodeled."



The sale of the last \$5000 of the Wescott stock means a terrific loss to Cunningham & McLean, the purchasers of the stock. These boys are good sports and are pocketing their loss like heroes. What will the stock bring? Come and see. Come prepared to buy if prices are right—H. N. Evely.

# THE LAST OF WESCOTT'S \$50,000 Dry Goods Stock

## THE FINAL

Well, it's all over, good people, except a couple of thousand dollars and the farewells. The former will be completely overcome by Evely's prices and the lingering, soft words stuff in the old tones will be spoken at midnight Saturday.—H. N. Evely.



ONE MORE DAY—Saturday Night and Victoria's Greatest Sale will be at an end (Friday the store will be closed all day) Saturday A.M. 1000 grabs—Packages containing goods worth from 50c to \$2.50 will be distributed broadcast to the people at 10 a.m., 2:30 p.m. and 8 p.m.—AT A DIME—10c

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*"'Tis the Coward that Quits to Misfortune,  
'Tis the Calf that Bawls all the Day,  
'Tis the Sluggard Grows Weary of Effort  
Then Throws all His Chances Away"*

*"The Time to Succeed is When Others,  
Discouraged, Show Traces of Fire,  
The Battle is Fought on the Homestretch  
And Won Neath the Flag and the Wire"*

## PUBLIC AUCTION SATURDAY

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### COMMITTEE CONSIDERS PLANS.

Preliminary Meeting Discusses Arrangements in Connection With Fete in May.

The Kermess committee of the Daughters of Empire met yesterday afternoon to discuss the forthcoming kermess, which is to be held under the auspices of the combined chapters of the order on May 22 and 23. Miss McFadden, who will have charge of the dances and a number of the other events which are to take place in connection with the function, was present, and explained some of the features which she intended introducing, while each of the several chapters through their representatives volunteered suggestions of what they would be willing to undertake in connection with the event. A meeting will be held next Tuesday, March 25, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of discussing the matter more thoroughly. Yesterday's meeting also discussed the rose show. Mrs. Huntington suggesting that, following the example of the Women's Institutes, who, it was pointed out, might be asked to co-operate in the exhibition, the government might be requested to send a lecturer to give a talk to the visitors at that time.

### IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN By DR. FRANK CRANE.

We ordinarily think of Nature as a serious old lady, eternally occupied with grandiose plans of evolution, destiny, organic chemistry and other noble and profound affairs.

But sometimes one is tempted to suspect that she has a whimsical side and likes to act the fool.

I have just been looking over Sir John Murray's and Dr. John Hjort's "The Depths of the Ocean," and certainly they report some outlandish creatures in the deep waters.

Uglier than the most horrid nightmare is the *Argyropelecus hemigymnus*; *Astroneutes niger* has a face that would shame the devil; while the "new species of *Leptocephalus*" is worse than any caricature in a newspaper. Nothing in "Alice in Wonderland" is so perfectly absurd as the *Hippocampus* or the *Gigantocryptis agassizii*.

The only possible reason Nature could have had for making an *Augaptilus filigreeus* would be to scare the wits out of bad little fishes.

Nature is not so staid. She has her grim jokes.

In our maddest, wildest fancies we still take after the mysterious, many-mooded mother of all.

### PICTURES IN PARLIAMENT —AND ELSEWHERE

By  
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Ottawa, March 18, 1913.—"There is no divinity that hedges even a member of the Imperial Privy Council. When Mr. Winston Churchill presumes to tender advice to us as to our capacity, our aspirations, and what he is pleased to regard our limitations, I say it is the veriest insult to the people of Canada; yes, more, it is an insult to the people of the overseas dominions at large. Are we to be insulted by the First Lord of the Admiralty, and is that insult to be swallowed by our own government? That document is calculated to cause more irritation, to undermine more seriously our constitutional freedom than any other document that has ever come from authority in Great Britain to any colony since the days of Lord North. It is just such acts as this that caused the severance of the ties between the Thirteen Colonies and the Motherland in 1775. This insulting letter is calculated to do injury as against even the throne and person of His Majesty the King."—Hon. Henry Emmerson.

"rott!"—Dr. Edwards (of Fron-

tenace).

Somewhere in the dead waste, and middle of Monday night Emmerson, of Westmorland, shaking his iron-grey mane like a lion at challenge, uttered these made-in-Canada sentiments about Winston Churchill's letter, whereupon Dr. Edwards, who is quick at that kind of repartee, exclaimed

"rott!" Nothing could have demonstrated more clearly the difference between the two parties, as regards a question of \$35,000,000 taxation without representation on behalf of the British navy.

Winston Churchill's letters are almost as hard to handle as Winston Churchill himself. They are like Pandoras' box, which contained a great deal more than was expected. They are like the rods in the hands of Pharaoh's magician, which turned to serpents. They are like Balaam's ass, which uttered curses when blessings were wanted and vice versa. They are like—it's cut it short—they are like Winston, full of tricksy surprises for friends and foes, and as often as not they cut both ways like Winston Spencer Churchill's own political record up to date.

Premier Borden, to give him credit, was very tender about springing Winston Churchill's letter. Having once been a Liberal, just as Winston Churchill was once a Tory, the Premier had some ideas as to what feelings a letter like that might arouse among a free Canadian people. He realized that the seeds of discord were in it and that Winston Churchill's brash language might cost the Empire an Australian Commonwealth or a Canadian Confederation. Young, strong

and tremendously clever speeches over night, and then pass them off as extemporaneous. Besides, it isn't so far back to Toryism for Winston Churchill, because, as everybody says, he was pitchforked into the Admiralty to spend money there with a loud splash, thus keeping the Jingoists quiet while a Radical government presses forward its radical measures of social reform.

Yes, the Canadian parliament seems to know Winston Churchill's personal history and little failings pretty well. Some people remember him from the time he was in Canada lecturing on the Boer war, when he tried to escape from a contract with Major Pond and get closer to the large sum of money which his fame and his mother's American connections were drawing to the lecture hall. His behavior at that time has taught Canada not to be surprised at anything he has done since.

As Henry Emmerson says, there is no divinity that hedges a British cabinet minister. If any divinity hedged Winston Churchill before he wrote that letter, it is all gone now.

Dr. Michael Clark, good Englishman and good Canadian—Red Michael—who never makes the mistake of being more British than the British, calls Winston Churchill "Pelletier's gramophone." He thinks if anybody is a disruptorist it must be Premier Borden, whose naval policy—backed up by Winston Churchill's answer to Premier Borden's leading questions—has divided Canada, divided England, and divided the British Empire.

Sixty-Six Years

OLD, STILL YOUNG

—

Wizard Spent Birthday in the Midst of His Labors—Tributes From His Employees

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Hundreds of congratulatory telegrams, cablegrams and letters poured into the laboratory at West Orange, New Jersey and at the home of Thomas A. Edison in honor of his sixty-sixth birthday. The senders were associates of the veteran inventor and prominent men from various sections of the United States and Europe and some from China and Japan. Mr. Edison spent the day at work as usual. He toiled until 1 o'clock that morning, went home and slept until 5, and was back in his laboratory.

More than 6,000 employees at the Edison works here surprised their chief when the 7 o'clock whistle blew by appearing with blue buttons in their coat lapels bearing the numerals in gold "66." This pleased Mr. Edison, and he said to one of the heads of the concern: "Isn't it strange they have all thought of me and show their feelings with the same kind of button?"

Mr. Edison, reviewing the great things accomplished since his last birthday, paid a tribute to Dr. Carrel of New York, who recently received the Nobel prize for medicine and physics.

Manager—I can't do a thing with Smith, the new clerk. I've had him in three departments, and he does all day long.

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OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS

# SATURDAY—THE BANNER DAY

OF the great Re-organization Sale at the **EMPIRE CLOTHING CO.** Greater and more startling bargains will be offered here Saturday that will be long remembered by all that attend. Come. We are making great preparations to handle the large Easter crowds coming here. New lines of dazzling and captivating merchandise are being brought forward and displayed throughout the store. Also extra salespeople have been engaged to handle the big crowds coming. If you care to save on your new Suit, Hat, Shoes or Furnishings, as hundreds have been doing here, then act Saturday, the day before Easter, as your turn is now here to save. Remember, this entire stock is being sacrificed during the great Re-organization Sale by the new owners. The store will be known in the future as the "HUB." Come, make your selections now. This vast stock, which equals the combined stocks of four ordinary stores. Read on, then come prepared to profit by this great massacre of fine merchandise.

## Massacre in the Big Clothing Dept.

SUITS for business wear. Hundreds and hundreds of Suits to choose from. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$4.15</b>
SUITS like you have always bought here at \$12.00, the same handsome patterns and plain blacks. Price .....	<b>\$5.85</b>
MEN'S SUITS in high grade dark silk mixed cheviots, splendidly tailored. Regular price to \$15. Re-organization Price <b>\$7.45</b>	
FINE WORSTED SUITS, also Tweed Suits, that sell everywhere at \$20. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$9.85</b>
WORSTED SUITS, silk mixed, perfectly tailored. It seems a pity to sell them so low, but necessity knows no mercy. Regular price up to \$22.50. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$11.45</b>
SUITS, all colors for best dress wear, hand tailored. You might go to any store on Vancouver Island trying in vain to duplicate them under \$25. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$13.85</b>
MEN'S HIGH CLASS SUITS of Fine Tweeds and Worsts that sell regularly to \$30. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$16.85</b>

## Extraordinary Bargains in Boot and Shoe Department

MEN'S LACE BOOTS, every pair guaranteed for good wear. Many of this lot are worth \$3.00. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$1.45</b>
MEN'S BOOTS for business wear, that mean service and comfort. All the newest shapes for spring, worth to \$3.50. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$1.95</b>
MEN'S FINE BOOTS, made from selected calfskin and vici kid, the best workmanship and finish; every pair guaranteed and actually worth up to \$5.00. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$2.65</b>
MEN'S FINEST DRESS BOOTS, all sizes, styles and leathers, worth as high as \$7.00. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$3.95</b>

## Sensational Bargains in the Men's Pants' Department

MEN'S WORSTED PANTS, in grey stripes and plain colors, for dress wear. Regular price to \$3.50. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$1.65</b>
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Empire Clothing Co., 563



## Raincoat Bargains

RAINCOATS, worth \$7.50. Re-organization Price .....	<b>\$3.95</b>
HIGH CLASS IMPORTED RAINCOATS that sold to \$15. Sale Price .....	<b>\$6.45</b>
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MEN'S SHIRTS, white and fancy patterns. Price \$1.50 and \$1.75. Re-organization Price .....	<b>85¢</b>
HIGH CLASS FLANNEL SHIRTS, with separate collars, worth to \$2.50. Sale Price <b>\$1.35</b>	
MEN'S UNDERWEAR, worth 75c and \$1.00. Re-organization Price .....	<b>35¢</b>
\$4.00 and \$5.00 FANCY WOOL SWEATER COATS. Sale Price .....	<b>\$1.95</b>
MEN'S HOSE, sells at 15c and 20c. Re-organization Price .....	<b>5¢</b>
15c and 25c HOSE SUPPORTERS. Sale Price .....	<b>5¢</b>
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SILK TIES, worth to 50c. Re-organization Price .....	<b>15¢</b>
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MEN'S WOOL SOX, worth 35c to 50c. Re-organization Price .....	<b>20¢</b>
SWEATERS AND SWEATER COATS. Re-organization Price .....	<b>65¢</b>
UNION MADE OVERALLS, \$1.00, \$1.25. Re-organization Price .....	<b>65¢</b>
50c FANCY CASHMERE HOSE .....	<b>25¢</b>
\$4.00 and \$5.00 FANCY KNITTED VESTS <b>\$1.95</b>	
20c and 25c SHOP CAPS .....	<b>5¢</b>
50c PRESIDENT SUSPENDERS .....	<b>25¢</b>

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## PAST SUCCESS AND FUTURE PROBLEMS

### RT. HON. JAS. BRYCE ON CANADA'S HISTORY

British Ambassador Says That Canadian System of Government Unique in Efficiency

"The people of Great Britain and Ireland are keenly alive to whatever goes on in Canada, and at home we desire that the bonds of affection between the Dominion and the Mother Country should ever be closer and more cordial," said Right Hon. James Bryce, British ambassador at Washington, in his address at the Canadian Club in Montreal recently. The Sailors' Institute was crowded with members who had come to listen to the famous diplomat. Mr. Bryce referred to the splendid prosperity of the Dominion, to the singular success of the federal system of government since its inception, and to the fact that North America had enjoyed peace for nearly one hundred years. He uttered a word of warning to Canada with regard to the problems that were facing her in connection with her national expansion.

"I have long felt," said Mr. Bryce, "that the Canadian Clubs are unique and excellent institutions. Unique because in no other country, so far as I am aware, are there similar organizations drawing unto themselves all that is best, expressing public spirit and realizing that there is a great deal in life besides business and politics. In them only two things are thoughts of, the acquisition of knowledge and Canada as a whole. They are of special interest to me, who know nothing about business and have forgotten all I ever knew about politics.

"It is forty-three years since I visited Montreal for the first time. It is a very different place to what it was in 1879. Then it was not full of vitality and movement as it is to-day; business and population were comparatively slow, and you had only just got federation. There was no railway as far as Winnipeg, in fact, I am not sure that Winnipeg existed at all. It is not many years since you realized the possibilities of the district northwest of Winnipeg. When I first visited Winnipeg there was no idea of the existence of the fertile clay belt between there and Hudson's Bay, no notion of the vast mineral wealth of Northern Ontario or of the coal deposits of the Rocky Mountains. After this no one can set limits to the great possibilities of the country.

"Not less remarkable than your material progress has been the growth of your constitutional government, although at its early days there were not wanting people to show that Canada could never be a great nation. Your federal system has worked on the whole with wonderful success and with little friction. It has worked perhaps better than anywhere else in the world; I think the only example of equal success is that of Switzerland. You have had the great problem of two races living side by side, of peoples different in race and language, whom the federal system was designed to unite. While the federation of districts is dissimilar to the provinces of British Columbia, the prairies and the Maritime Provinces, it shows that as far as adaptation to local conditions is concerned the federal system has been an unqualified success. And this success is a tribute to the capacity of the men who have governed as well as to those who framed the constitution. You have respect for law, and a pure, honorable and upright judiciary. And there is no better test of true civilization than when you find an upright judiciary. I think that the British Empire may be proud that wherever its flag has waved the judiciary is pure and upright. Nothing makes for liberty so much as the knowledge that all men will be treated justly and impartially.

One Hundred Years' Peace. "Further, you enjoy a thing not dreamt of in earlier days, perfect peace; in fact there has been peace for many years on this side of the Rio Grande. People were not always sure that peace would always be maintained between the two great peoples living side by side, of whom one was so much bigger than the other, in former times. In 1817 an arrangement was made between the governments of the United States and England that there should be no warships on the Great Lakes, with the exception of two small boats. In 1817 this was thought to be a very bold arrangement, and it showed great confidence in both nations. An arrangement followed that no fortifications should be erected, and this showed great confidence again. But this confidence has been justified for nearly one hundred years, and

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RICHMOND AVENUE—South of Oak Bay car line, 60 x 130; \$800 cash.	\$2,250
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I proposed by R. C. Smith, who referred to the post of ambassador to the United States as being one of the most important, as linking up Britain with the other part of the English-speaking world. In working out her federal system Canada had been helped by the fact that the principles of constitutional government had been handed down to her, and to the intellectual supremacy of the men in Great Britain who had framed them. There was no difference of opinion whether as regards race or religion in the desire to be done, but to point to the spirit. This will be the decisive years for this young country, and in them the spirit will be formed by which the future will be moulded. No part of the world offers the same agricultural opportunities as the Canadian Northwest; there are few parts of the world left now fit for agricultural development, and in the lifetime of some now living all except the lands of Canada will be exhausted. The Northwest has unsurpassed fertility and is blessed with a race specially energetic and enterprising. You in Canada have had special advantages such as few peoples have been enabled to enjoy, and we in Great Britain are lost in admiration and sympathy for what you are doing. We hope we shall be able to look at Canada in the future and see its people happy and enlightened.

Mr. Bryce responded with the hope that while he was taking his official farewell to Montreal as ambassador to the United States, he would revisit the city in the future.

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## SEVEN WRITS ISSUED AGAINST BANKERS' TRUST CORPORATION, LTD.

Four Were Filed in Vancouver and Three in This City; Serious Allegations of Misrepresentation by Dr. Wasson

Negotiators, Ltd. and Title Holding Company Are Also Defendants in Suits; Young Clerk Among Vancouver Plaintiffs

In addition to the writs in Vancouver, three have been issued in Victoria. Dr. Hilliard J. Wasson and William Head, two shareholders, sue for the return of the moneys and notes paid for their stock on grounds of misrepresentation in obtaining the subscriptions, and John Brethour, of Sidney, asks the cancellation of two promissory notes and the return of 14 lots conveyed by him to the defendants.

The defendants in the Wasson and Head suits are the Bankers' Trust Corporation and the Negotiators, Limited. John Brethour's writ is against Frank C. Cook, Frank Skidmore, the Title Holding Company and the Bankers' Trust.

The writs by Wasson and Head are both issued by H. D. Twig as solicitor, and are in exactly similar terms. W. J. Taylor, of Eberts & Taylor, is solicitor for Mr. Brethour. Dr. Wasson has filed a statement of claim making very strong allegations. The other two actions have not proceeded that far.

On the strength of the allegations made by Dr. Wasson in his statement of claim, he asks for a declaration that he was induced to take 200 shares in the Bankers' Trust Corporation by the fraudulent misrepresentations of the defendants, rescission of the contract to take such shares and the rectification of the register of members of the Bankers' Trust Corporation by removing his name; the repayment of the \$1,000 paid by him on the shares with interest and an injunction restraining the defendant from making any attempt to enforce any payments due in respect of the shares, and the return of notes for \$6,500 given in part payment for the shares.

### The Allegations.

In his statement of claim Dr. Wasson alleges that one Garner, an agent of the defendant companies, called at his office and made representations which were false and untrue and known to him and to the companies that authorized them to be untrue. These representations are set down in the statement of claim as follows:

That Mr. Marpole, western superintendent of the C. P. R., was a shareholder of the Bankers' Trust and would represent the Vancouver shareholders on the board of directors; that Godfrey Booth, general manager of the Bankers' Trust, was a large shareholder in the corporation; that the Negotiators, Limited, was a subsidiary company to and was owned by the Bankers' Trust and that its assets were assets of the Bankers' Trust, and that the Negotiators, Limited, owned valuable tracts of land in the Uplands, Cadboro Bay and Esquimalt, and that J. R. Moore was the manager of the land department of the Bankers' Trust and had come to Victoria to arrange for building on and selling these lands, which were said to be valuable assets of the Bankers' Trust; that the Bankers' Trust had during the previous year (1912) paid a dividend of 10 per cent and gave a stock bonus of 10 per cent.

These representations the claim denies in toto, and in detail, maintaining that no such lands were ever held by the company, that the Negotiators' Limited was not a subsidiary company, that Mr. Booth and Mr. Marpole held no stock, and that no dividend or stock bonus was ever given.

### Induced to Buy.

"By means of these representations and acting on the faith thereof and the belief that the same were true," says the claim, "the plaintiff was induced to purchase, and did in January buy, one hundred 10 per cent preference shares in the Bankers' Trust at the price of \$25 per share, for which he paid a cheque for \$500 in favor of the Negotiators' Limited, and by giving promissory notes for the balance and payable to the order of Negotiators' Limited."

That Garner and Moore came to him at a later date and procured his subscription to one hundred more shares on identical terms by a repetition of these representations, is further alleged by Dr. Wasson.

In the alternative that these statements may not have been made knowing them to be false, the plaintiff alleges that they were made with reckless disregard as to the truth or falseness thereof, and with the intent that they should be acted on by the plaintiff as they were.

### Asks Cancellation.

John Brethour in his writ asks the cancellation of two promissory notes for \$1,500 each made by the plaintiff in favor of the defendants, and the setting aside of a conveyance of fourteen lots in North Saanich from the plaintiff to the defendants, on the ground of misrepresentation and fraud. The plaintiff also asks an injunction restraining the defendants from dealing with the notes or the lots in any way.

When seen this morning Mr. Allan, secretary of the corporation, stated that he understood that these writs have been issued; adding that H. H. Shandley is handling the corporation's legal matters, and that discussion of them was out of his province. Mr. Allan has not been very long with the Bankers' Trust Corporation, having come to Victoria quite recently.

While these writs have been issued, it must be borne in mind that the information contained in them are allegations which must be supported in the law courts, and that the transac-

## TEMPERATURE LOWER THAN YESTERDAY

Nine Degrees of Frost in City This Morning; Forecasted That Cold Will Moderate

The temperature fell lower this morning even than yesterday, and the minimum indicator stood at 23 degrees, showing nine degrees of frost. Cold weather is reported all over the province, the mercury at Prince Rupert standing at twelve degrees, while in the Cariboo it sank to sixteen below zero.

F. Napier Denison forecasts that the cold will shortly moderate, and that the fair weather will continue for some time.

### LOCAL NEWS

**Eclipse of the Moon.**—There will be an eclipse of the moon on Saturday next, between the hours of 2.12 and 5.42. The eclipse will be quite visible in Victoria at the time stated.

**Ward III. Liberals.**—At the annual meeting of Ward III. Liberal Association to-night at the Cormorant street rooms, A. B. Fraser, president of the association, will preside as chairman.

**Victoria Day Celebration.**—The city council has decided to vote the sum of \$2,500 toward the celebration of Victoria Day. This is \$500 less than was granted in 1912.

**Two Candidates Ordained.**—The Bishop of Columbia held his first ordination this morning at Christ Church cathedral, E. M. Willis, of the University school, and A. W. Corker, of Alert Bay, being ordained.

**Shore Dinners.**—If you get your meals at the Kaisershof on Friday you can enjoy the finest of sea food. Fish and shellfish fresh caught, specially selected and cooked by a Specialist in this line, and the price will be no more than for a poorer meal.

**Sunday Concert.**—Rowland's Band will give the usual weekly concert at the Victoria theatre on Sunday evening. By request the overture to Zampa and a selection of American airs will be included.

**Will Lecture in East.**—Rev. B. H. Balderston, of this city, while in the East, will deliver lectures on Vancouver Island as the ideal home for settlers. For this purpose he has secured from the secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League a set of stereopticon slides showing views of the neighborhood.

**By-law Defective.**—A defect in the by-law caused the charge against the Canadian Explosives Limited, of leaving unlabelled dynamite on the wharf to be withdrawn in police court this morning. The by-law requires the explosive to stand for a half hour or over and no proof of the time was kept. The by-law will probably be amended by leaving out any specific period of time.

**Visits City.**—P. Burns, chief member of the firm of P. Burns & Company, the wholesale meat firm, whose two million dollar cold storage plant at Calgary was destroyed by fire some time since, arrived at the Empress hotel this morning from Vancouver. He is accompanied by W. J. Blake Wilson. Mr. Burns states that a much larger plant than that destroyed at Calgary is now in course of erection.

**New Hotel on Johnson Street.**—In compliance with the statute which requires the abolition of saloon licenses next year the Victoria Phoenix Brewery, which owns the Jubilee saloon, Johnson street, is proposing to make alterations to comply with the law, and has taken out a permit for an addition to the premises, which will increase accommodation to thirty-three rooms. The work will cost about \$12,000.

**Gordon Head Residents Join in Opposition to Mr. Topp's Appointment.**

A largely attended meeting of ratepayers of Ward III. was held at the Gordon Head hall last evening, to talk over municipal affairs, and the appointment of the engineer, the latter of which gave rise to great discussion. Councillor Sidney Williams, representative for this ward, and Councillors Borden and McGregor, who were present, explained their attitude and opinions on the matter. These were endorsed by the ratepayers, who unanimously passed the following resolution, which was proposed by A. C. Grant and seconded by T. A. Watson:

"We the ratepayers of Ward III. strongly oppose the action of the municipal council in appointing C. H. Topp as consulting engineer, or in any capacity. We believe that the means of the municipality warrant the appointment of an engineer who will devote his whole time to the services of the municipality, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the council."

It was also proposed that all the ratepayers assembled should attend the council meeting on Saturday next to give voice to the above resolution.

### OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning at her residence, 648 Garibaldi road, of Jane Gaunt, relict of the late John Gaunt, who passed away last October. The funeral of the deceased, who was 72 years of age, will take place on Saturday at 1 p.m. from the Hanna-Thomson parlors, where the remains are at present reposing.

## SEATTLE CANADIAN CLUB ACTIVITIES

To Invite Celebrated Canadians to Speak at Their Meetings

Seattle, March 20.—Seattle's Canadian Club held last night the first of a series of meetings which are to run through the year on each Wednesday evening. Plans were discussed for improvements to the club and for a closer personal affiliation with other Canadian clubs by the invitation of celebrated Canadians.

Members visiting the club last night were interested in the exhibition of two signed steel engravings, bearing the autographs of the Duke and Duchess of Connaught.

### EMPLOY MEN TO EAT EGGS TWO YEARS OLD

Lawrence, Kas., March 20.—Age is no detriment to Kansas eggs, according to Dr. S. J. Crumrine, dean of the University of Kansas School of Medicine and secretary of the state board of health, who to-day started a series of tests in an effort to prove that his theory is correct.

A squad of men employed in the experiments for ten days will be fed with eggs two years old. The aged cold storage product will be served raw to the men each day with their meals, and careful records will be made of their physical condition during the tests.

### INTERCITY BASKETBALL

Vancouver Normal School Plays Sunday School League Team in Y. M. C. A.

Arrangements have just been completed for a game to be played in the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening, commencing at 8.15 o'clock, between the Vancouver Normal School basketball team and a quintette selected from the Sunday School league of this city.

It is expected that a large number of enthusiasts will witness the game, which promises to be keenly contested. After the big game two teams from the boys' department will engage in a struggle.

The Vancouver Normal team will be composed of the following: Forwards: Handy and Coombs; centre, Thomas; guards, McLean and Wilson.

The Victoria team will consist of the following: Forwards: Rankin and Dickson; centre, Hills; guards, Beckwith and Young.

There was, from the point of view of modern hygiene, absolutely no excuse for the foundation of London: If such a site were recommended to-day, say, for instance, somewhere on the flooded upper reaches of the equatorial Nile—the whole of our big, wise world would ridicule it.

It would break all the laws and violate all experience. Public opinion would squash it. But the original site for the city of London had one great advantage which far outweighed in value, for those were barbarous days, the disadvantage of the swamps and marshes. It was safe.

Those early adventurers could navigate their ships up the Thames estuary and pull up alongside the beach on which Billingsgate is built, knowing that those very swamps and marshes were the float of fortresses, and that the dense forests from Epping across through Highgate and Hampstead were valuable as a defending army in shutting off the looters and rough men of the North.

London was safe. It continued to be safe. It recognized the importance of safety to the merchant, and it recognized the safety and security among her swamps and marshes were the keynote of London's success.

Safety and security are what London has always offered, and, by guaranteeing them, she has taught mankind how valuable such assets are, and has set up the desire for the same in other places.

The safety and security of London is still the most anxious care of the governing authorities, and every citizen is quick to discern and criticize any slackness in this urgent and important duty. The police force and the local government board, which are mainly responsible, are such enormous

## London Grew From SWAMP OF THAMES

No Excuse in Modern Hygiene for Foundation of Great City

### LOW DEATH RATE IN COMPARISON TO OTHERS

The area upon which London is built was the most unpromising site for a city, if we reconstruct the state in which nature left it. It was nearly all swamps and marshes, which were inundated twice a day by the ebb and flow of an enormous tidal river.

The orderly Thames, as we know it to-day, confined to its three hundred years channel, was then a great sea, sweeping in its daily floodings an area which is now built over with the homes of a million healthy people. Sir Walter Besant, whose informative history of early London carries weight as a most intelligent reconstruction, was of opinion that the greatest flood of the Thames was hemmed in on the north and south by impenetrable forests, and that the only piece of ground in the neighborhood which was suitable for cultivation was the strip running along the upper bank of the Thames, where Oxford street is to-day.

Thus it was that the very earliest inhabitants of London—the handful of shipping people who congregated once a year in the neighborhood of the Tower and London Bridge, much as dealers go to a fair—were dependent upon outside sources for their supplies of food, except, of course, the fowlers and fishermen who hunted in the marshes.

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London is powerful in war; she controls its very skies; but as an agent for universal peace, as the great mission city of human brotherhood, she can play a part, if she urges her claim that will advance the standard of the whole world not by years, but by generations.

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Loans made during the month of December, 1911		4,000.00
Loans made during the month of June, 1912		17,000.00
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Loans made during the month of November, 1912		34,200.00
Loans made during the month of December, 1912		35,100.00
Loans pending and in process of being made at December 31, 1912		68,000.00
Loans made and pending December, 1912		103,100.00
December 31, 1912—Loans made and in process to date		263,100.00

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## Financial News

WHILE INDUSTRIALS  
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CANADIAN IS SOLD

Large Interests Waiting Authoritative Statement From  
New Administration

Victoria Exchange Remains  
Closed Until Tuesday Over  
Easter Holidays

Duluth Wheat Consignment  
Resold to Exporters After  
Sale at Buffalo

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, March 20.—While the rails held up fairly well on scattered short covering, the latter in great part due to weakening of the technical position of the market, industrials were sold aggressively accompanied by reports of discrimination against same in loans. Large interests both commercial, industrial and financial are still waiting for some definite and authoritative announcement relative to future aims and plans of the new administration, meanwhile enterprise is being held in check in many directions. Then, too, leading interests which are quite conspicuous during periods of depression for their support are still lacking.

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## WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:  
To-day—Last Year.  
Minneapolis ..... 222 228  
Duluth ..... 47 21  
Winnipeg ..... 246 219  
Chicago ..... 44 31

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## STOCK FLASHES.

Journal of Commerce says—Money conditions require caution. Banks are protracted period of stringency and loans have been generally suspended. According to banking executives, should pursue conservative course and not expect their usual accommodations, stringency is April.

New York—London silver 23-3-16. New York—Stock market again getting soft. The continued weakness of specialties depressing the market. Reduction of long lines of credit the only available method of meeting the pressure of demand under pressure of talk on the standard for the metal.

London—Money was in demand and London stock banks were calling loans.

London—Copper opening and close firm; spot \$4.84 per lb., 100 lbs. 100 tons.

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## NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, March 20.—Money on call firm, 4 per cent; T-bills, 4 per cent; certificates, 4-1/2 per cent; offered at 4-1/2 per cent. Time loans easy; 60 and 90 days, 2 per cent; 6 months, 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange with actual business in members' bills at \$4.82 for 60 days and at \$4.87 for 90 days. Commercial bills, \$4.82-50. Bar silver, 50c. Mexican dollars, 47c. Bonds—Government strong, railroads irregular.

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## CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts 4,500; market slow; however, \$7.10-\$9.25. Texas steers, \$6.50-\$7.60; western steers, \$6.80-\$8.15; stockers and feeders, \$6.00-\$7.20; cows and heifers, \$2.50-\$3.80; calves, \$7.00-\$11.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; market slow. 5c to 10c lower; bulk of sales, \$8.75-\$8.95; light, \$8.70-\$8.85; mixed, \$8.60-\$9.00; heavy, \$8.50-\$8.85; rough, \$8.50-\$8.85; pigs, \$8.75-\$9.00.

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## GRAIN FLASHES.

Wheat—The firmness in American grain supports a moderate way at the opening in Liverpool. Flatte offerings from firm and cargoes 24, with an improved inquiry for Manitoba and good support by a prominent firm. Later the market was being checked by large world's shipments of wheat and good amount to United Kingdom.

Argentine shipments—Wheat, 4,968,000; corn, 308,000; oats, 3,700,000.

Berlin wheat clear; higher; Buda Pest higher. Antwerp unchanged to higher.

Minneapolis—Firm tone to cash market, mills after the good milling wheat, flour, very light.

New York cotton—Census about as expected and indicates Government of about 14,500,000 bales.

The "Examiner" says—George Bury, vice-president of Canadian Pacific Railway, just returning from trip to Orient, was examining with the awakening of China a shortage of the world's supply of flour and the raw product for breadstuffs is threatened. Within a year the increased demand for flour for breadstuffs may be checked by large grain elevators of the Northwest and the flour mills have been in operation day and night to prepare the commodity for the hungry millions of the new China.

Report—House of Commons investigation of report from New York that there had been export sales of 300,000 bushels of United States wheat disclosed that there was no foundation for the report.

Report from Marion county, Illinois, says 50 per cent of last year's corn and 50 per cent of oats are still in the farmers' hands there.

Omaha cash wheat, corn and oats unchanged.

Minneapolis—Understood Washburn Crosby going to curtail their output ten thousand bushels per day and operate on a basis of about 12,000 barrels daily.

Kansas City cash wheat and corn unchanged.

New York—Cotton easier due to lack of aggressive support, offerings quite free.

Ma, how did you come to pick out for your husband?

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3. Beach Drive, from Newport avenue to main sewer. Newport avenue, from Island road to Beach Drive.
4. McNeill avenue, from Transit road to Island road.
5. Island road, from McNeill avenue to Larch street.
6. Drawings, specifications and schedules of approximate quantities may be seen at the office of the Municipal Engineer, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay.

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demands against the estate of Elizabeth  
Mary Harding, late of Victoria City,  
Province of British Columbia, deceased,  
who died on or about the 8th day of Dec-  
ember, 1912, are hereby required to send  
on or before the 14th day of March, 1913,  
a formal pre-notice or to deliver to the  
undersigned Solicitors for the Adminis-  
tratrix of the said deceased, on or before the  
27th day of March, 1913, their names and  
addresses and full particulars of their  
claims and demands, in writing, duly certi-  
fied, and the nature of the securities (if any)  
held by them.

And notice is hereby also given that  
after that date the said Administratrix  
will proceed to distribute the assets of the  
said deceased among the parties entitled  
thereto, having regard only to the claims  
of which she shall then have notice, and  
that she will then list for the said credit-  
ors or any part thereof so distributed  
to any person of whom claim or de-  
mands she, the said Administratrix, shall  
not then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria this 27th day of Fe-  
bruary, 1913.

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Solicitors for the Administratrix, Edith  
Amelia Maud Vye.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Administration Act

and

In the Matter of the Estate of William  
Alexander Vye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all credit-  
ors and persons having any claims or  
demands against the estate of William  
Alexander Vye, late of Victoria, B. C.,  
deceased, who died on or about the 15th  
day of January, 1913, are hereby required  
to send on or before the 14th day of March, 1913,  
a formal pre-notice or to deliver to the  
undersigned Solicitors for the Adminis-  
tratrix of the said deceased, on or before the  
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Solicitors for the Administratrix, Edith  
Amelia Maud Vye.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF the Administra-  
tion Act

And

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of WALTER  
ALFRED HEAL, De-  
ceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all credit-  
ors and persons having any claims or  
demands against the estate of WALTER  
ALFRED HEAL, late of Victoria, B. C.,  
deceased, who died on or about the 15th  
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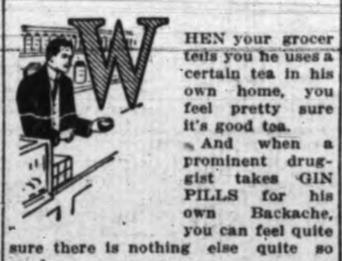
Just Above Douglas

The Y. M. C. A. Hexathlon contest is set definitely for Monday, March 31. The events are: Standing broad jump, running high jump, fence vault, 60-  
yards potato race, 220-yards potato race. There will be two contests of the kind, one for members under 18 and the other for members over 18. Two silver cups will be awarded.

There will be no gymnasium classes held in the Y. M. C. A. either tomorrow or on Monday.

The class or mission study will commence to-morrow evening at 8, under the direction of H. G. Penman. The work to-morrow will, of course, be largely introductory.

There will be a rally of the boys on Saturday next, when a ten days' campaign for membership will be embarked upon.

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## PASSING SHOW

Mutt and Jeff, the successful musical comedy based on the humorous sketches of the cartoonist, Bud Fisher, offers numerous attractive numbers. Some of the dances numbers are very appealing. The three scenes of the piece provide opportunity for an elaborate display of settings, all of which are in harmony with the piece. The first shows the club house and view of the race track at Saratoga, the second aboard the steamship "Insurgent," and the third in the yard of a South American palace. In these scenes those eccentric characters of "Mutt and Jeff" have every chance to provide humorous material for their audiences. The comedians carry the same type of humor into the play, as they present in the famous cartoons. "Mutt and Jeff" will be seen at the Victoria theatre this evening.

Pictures of Navy.

Trafalgar gave the British Empire over a century of peace on the seas. Since Trafalgar the navy has changed beyond recognition—the old wooden walls have given place to steam, steel and science. In a unique and realistic series of moving pictures entitled "Our Empire's Navy," which is booked for Victoria theatre on March 21, 22 and 24 with daily matinees every phase of life in the navy at the present day is depicted, from the three years'